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GERMANY LIBERATES AMERICAN SEAMEN

Southern Express Company And Two Attaches Indicted After "Liquor Depot" Probe

W. T. Jordan, Manager, and John Barrow, a Delivery Clerk, Are Charged With Making Frequent Deliveries on Sunday, in Violation of Law.

"WE HAVE JUST BEGUN OUR INVESTIGATION," SAYS THE SOLICITOR

"Bills Drawn After Adjournment of Grand Jury, and Those to Be Drawn Friday Against Express Company Total Fifteen," Says John A. Boykin.

The Southern Express company and two of its attaches were indicted yesterday for alleged illegal traffic in whisky in connection with the "liquor depot" at Chapel and Mangum streets, which the solicitor general seeks to abate as a public nuisance.

Indictments were returned against the corporation, and one each against W. T. Jordan, manager of the depot, and John Barrow, a delivery clerk. The latter two were put under bond of $500 each for appearance before Judge Ben Hill in the criminal division superior court to answer to the charge of a misdemeanor.

It was testified before the grand jury that Barrow and Jordan had made frequent liquor deliveries on Sunday in violation of the state enactment governing the shipment of intoxicants into the state. The express company was jointly indicted with the two employees on this charge.

Two Indictments Returned.

Two indictments were returned against the express company on the charge that it had shipped whisky into Atlanta in quantities addressed to fictitious persons. The solicitor general's office presented to the jury a bill from a Chattanooga distillery to one man (an alleged blind tiger who turned state's evidence) for $60 worth of liquor received in a single day under thirty fictitious names.

Two of the witnesses who testified before the jury Thursday were Monk Boyd and Ed Griffin, negroes, who confessed to detectives that they had received wholesale supplies by express by the method of using fictitious names. Two hundred consignments of liquor in the express office said to have been shipped to these witnesses were seized Saturday night when Judge Hill signed a temporary injunction order presented him by Solicitor General John A. Boykin.

Under the original order granted by the judge the liquor depot at Chapel and Mangum streets was closed and the Southern Express company was allowed to deliver liquor to those who order it legitimately only from warehouses in the downtown district. This injunction order was modified the next day so as to allow the depot to continue open. The hearing on this restraining order was set for Thursday, but was indefinitely postponed on account of the rush of other court business.

Work Just Begun.

Solicitor General John A. Boykin, following the returning of the indictments, said:

"This merely begins the work that is going to be done by the solicitor general's office in the investigation and prosecution of violations of the state prohibition laws.

"In the short time today our office had time to submit only a part of the mass of matter it has collected to the grand jury. I do not know how long the investigation is going to last, but we are going to the bottom of it, and

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SENATE APPROVES MEASURES TO BACK STATES' DRY LAWS

Drastic Legislation Makes It Crime to Bring Liquor Into Any of the Prohibition States.

MEASURE TO ENFORCE ANTI-LIQUOR AD LAWS

Also Approved by Senate as Amendment to Postal Bill—Measure Now Goes to the House.

Washington, February 15.—Prohibition took a step forward today in both branches of congress.

In the senate drastic amendments to the postal appropriation bill were agreed to which would make criminal the importation of liquor into states which prohibit its manufacture and sale for beverage purposes, and which would exclude liquor advertisements from the mails in states which legislate against such advertising.

On the house side the national prohibition constitutional amendment was favorably reported from the judiciary committee with a prediction by Chairman Webb that it would be passed within a week. Champions of prohibition greeted this announcement with enthusiasm, in spite of their realization that passage in the house will end action on the amendment in so far as this session of congress is concerned. There is no thought of action by the senate before March 4, when the sixty-fourth congress dies.

Vote of 45 to 11.

The amendment to the postoffice appropriation bill to make it a crime to ship liquor into prohibition states was added by Senator Reed, of Missouri, to the Jones amendment barring newspapers or other publications or letters and postal cards containing liquor advertisements from the mails in states which have laws against such advertising. It was adopted after brief debate by a vote of 45 to 11 by the senate, sitting as committee of the whole.

The Reed amendment, which awaits a final vote in the senate, is as follows:

"Whoever shall order, purchase or cause intoxicating liquors to be transported in interstate commerce except for scientific, sacramental, medicinal or mechanical purposes into any state or territory the laws of which state or territory prohibit the manufacture or sale therein of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes, shall be punished by a fine of not more than $1,000 or imprisoned not more than six months, or both, and for any subsequent offense, shall be imprisoned not more than one year."

Dry States "Bone Dry."

The effect of this provision if finally accepted by the senate and agreed to by the house, will be to make all prohibition states "bone dry." It will operate against provisions in various states permitting importation of limited amounts of liquor for individual consumption.

The original Jones amendment to bar newspapers and other liquor advertisements from the mails in states having anti-liquor advertising laws attaches the same penalties as provided in the Reed amendment. Under this provision no newspaper, pamphlet, letter, postal card, circular or publication of any kind containing liquor advertisement could

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While Thousands of Men Line Sidewalks of Atlanta Thursday, Women Hold Great Parade in Interest of Red Cross Movement



Photo by Price.

Group of the Cox college girls waiting, ready to fall into line for Red Cross parade; 2, Mrs. Preston Arkwright, one of the leaders in movement in Atlanta and marshal of day; 3, Mrs. A. T. Revson and Mrs. Freda Wolfson, two attractive and smiling marchers.

Five Thousand Women March Through Downtown Streets to Stimulate Interest in Membership Campaign—Mrs. Preston Arkwright Acts as Marshal of Day—Mrs. Spencer Atkinson, Mrs. Nellie Peters Black and Mrs. Arkwright Led Paraders.

Eyes front, cheeks aglow from the wintry winds, steps in rhythm with the martial beat of drums, hearts brimming with patriotism, 5,000 Atlanta girls and women marched through the downtown section yesterday afternoon in the interest of the Red Cross while thousands of Atlantans crowded the sidewalks.

Beauty and age walked abreast. Salesgirls held to banners partly clasped by debutantes; schoolgirls linked arms with spinsters; stenographers, clerks, office girls, society folk, clubwomen, students, milliners, "hello" girls, teachers, settlement workers, missionaries, all had a part in the great parade.

Class distinctions were forgotten and the step of the glad-eyed little salesgirl in her cheap coat and imitation furs and her fur-trimmed, tailor-made sister of society, who walked by her side and clung to the other support of the banner they carried between them was equally spirited.

Age and Youth March Together.

Old and wrinkled daughters of confederate fathers and wives of confederate husbands, who had in their youth bandaged and ministered to wounds of the sixties, defied the chilling winds, and marched alongside dauntless, valorous sixteen.

The parade starting from Whitehall and Trinity streets at 3:30 o'clock, was headed by a squad of mounted policemen in command of Captain L. S. Dobbs.

The parade of Red Cross marchers was headed by Mrs. Spencer Atkinson, Mrs. Nellie Peters Black and Mrs. P. S. Arkwright, who acted as marshal of the day.

Following them came the officers of the Red Cross chapter of Atlanta: Mrs. Albert Thornton, secretary; Mrs. Richard Johnson, first vice president, and Mrs. Fred Hodgson, second vice president, and the members of the campaign

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PERMANENT SHOW SOON TO PRESENT DIXIE'S RESOURCES

First Southeastern Land Exposition Comes to Close and Movement Is Immediately Started for Next Year.

The first Southeastern Land show came to an end, after fourteen days of successful exploitation of the resources and possibilities of the southeast, in the Auditorium-Armory at 6 o'clock last evening.

Immediately the final closing hour struck, everybody in the big show room joined in the strains of "Auld Lang Syne," and the exhibitors began packing their exhibits preparatory to the return home. By tonight it is expected that both the Auditorium proper and Taft hall, each of which was filled with federal, state, county, corporation and individual displays of products and samples of resources, will have been cleared of the last vestige of evidence of the land show.

The really picturesque feature of the land show's closing, however, lies in the fact that even before it closed definite steps were taken at an exhibitors' meeting to launch the enterprise upon a greatly enlarged and a permanent basis, the actual work of this to begin immediately.

Permanent Land Show.

The plan, enthusiastically indorsed by the 50 exhibitors at the meeting, which was called for 3 o'clock by General Manager Edward Young Clarke, with the approval of Charles J. Haden, chairman of the executive committee, contemplates the housing of a permanent all-the-year-round land show in a four-story building to be constructed in Atlanta expressly for that purpose, and the holding of an annual midwinter exposition as its culminating feature for each year.

Under the tentative plan the first floor of such building will be devoted to agricultural exhibits; the second, to

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GERMANY TO PERMIT AMERICAN WORKERS TO STAY IN BELGIUM

Rescinds the Former Order That Only Few of Relief Corps Could Remain in Country.

RELIEF COMMISSION REFUSED COMPROMISE

Berlin, It Is Believed, Did Not Expect Flat Rejection of Its Former Proposal by American Board.

London, February 15.—Representatives of the American commission for relief in Belgium will not withdraw from the occupied portions of Belgium and northern France, as previously had been arranged, but will remain for the present, it now is stated.

The commission received today a dispatch from its office in Rotterdam, stating that at a meeting held in Brussels the German authorities announced that all representatives of the commission might remain in Belgium and northern France on the same footing as heretofore. Present at this meeting were Baron von de Lancken, civil governor of Brussels, the American and Spanish ministers, representatives of the Belgian relief commission, and of the Belgian national committee.

NEWS OF ACTION PLEASES WASHINGTON.

Washington, February 15.—News of Germany's retraction of her order forcing the American members of the Belgian relief committee to leave Belgium and northern France was received by state department officials and by Herbert C. Hoover, chairman of the commission, with both surprise and pleasure. Apart from a brief telegram from Brand Whitlock saying negotiations of some sort were under way, neither the department nor Mr. Hoover had any official advices on the subject.

The impression here is that Germany did not expect the commission's prompt and final response to the suggestion that "a few Americans, among them Brand Whitlock, might reside in Brussels and exercise general supervision of the work." The commission refused flatly to accept this compromise and at once ordered all its men to withdraw from the field.

Half American control probably nev-

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BRITISH CRUISER VICTOR IN BATTLE WITH 3 RAIDERS

One of Raiders Reported Beached After Engagement With Amethyst Off East Extremity of Brazil.

AMETHYST SUFFERED ONLY SLIGHT DAMAGE

Two of German Commerce Destroyers Are Believed to Have Made Escape as Night Ended Fighting.

Rio Janeiro, February 15.—An officer of the British cruiser Glasgow has confirmed reports of a recent naval battle off Fernando de Noronha, 125 miles off the east extremity of Brazil, according to the newspaper Rua. The Glasgow, however, took no part in the engagement. The commander received a report of the fighting only on the following day through a wireless message from the British cruiser Amethyst, which alone gave battle to the German raiders.

Before 6 o'clock in the evening the Amethyst sighted some steamers which she signalled to come nearer. They did so. Then it was seen that the vessels, not two as at first supposed, but three large steamers, were maneuvering and clearing for action. Almost immediately they opened fire. Night was falling. The Amethyst returned the fire and steamed toward the enemy, whereupon the German raiders took to flight in the direction of Fernando de Noronha, but continued firing with the Amethyst in pursuit.

The real fight occurred near Fernando de Noronha. One of the raiders, seriously hit, was observed to be sinking. The others made their escape. Night prevented the Amethyst from ascertaining to what extent they had been damaged. That they had been damaged, however, is considered probable. One raider is believed to have been beached in a battered condition. The Amethyst suffered slight damage and had a few wounded and one man killed.

YARROWDALE CREW, HELD AS PRISONERS, ARE GIVEN FREEDOM

Release of Men Captured by German Raider Disposes of One of Most Irritating Phases of German Situation.

WILSON HAD PREPARED PEREMPTORY DEMAND FOR RELEASE OF MEN

Note Was to Have Been Forwarded Soon Through Spanish Ambassador--Economic Situation Presents Difficulties.

Berlin, February 15.—(Via London, February 16.)—The American seamen who were brought prisoners to Germany on board the British steamer Yarrowdale have been liberated.

The British steamer Yarrowdale was one of the vessels captured by a German raider in the south Atlantic some time ago. With an armed prize crew aboard, the steamer was taken into a German harbor December 31. She had 469 prisoners on board, among whom were 72 Americans, according to an announcement made some time ago by the German foreign secretary. It was stated that these men were to be interned as prisoners, having been captured on an armed vessel.

Early in the present month—the day of the severing of diplomatic relations with Germany—the United States government demanded the release of the Americans. The following day it was announced that Germany had acceded to the demand. Later it was announced from Washington that the men were being held in Germany until assurances had been received from the United States as to the safe departure of Count von Bernstorff and the German consuls and the safety of German warbound ships in American waters.

WILSON ABOUT TO SEND DEMAND.

Washington, February 15.—News of the liberation of the seventy-two American seamen brought to Germany by the prize ship Yarrowdale came tonight after President Wilson and other administration officials had retired. Their release disposes of one of the most depressing and irritating phases of the German-American situation.

With President Wilson's approval, a note peremptorily demanding of Germany that the Americans be released had been prepared at the state department and was expected to go forward tomorrow.

To accompany the demand the department had gathered complete data showing the treatment accorded German sailors in American ports.

It was confidently expected that Germany would free the sailors without much more delay, thus disposing of the most pressing of the questions which arose immediately after the severance of relations between the two countries. There virtually is no hope here, however, that the hour of more serious trouble with Germany can be postponed much longer.

Breach Growing Wider.

Many responsible officials of the administration have come to the conclusion that unless there is a prompt and decided change in the general attitude of Germany toward the interests of the United States, the appearance of President Wilson before congress to ask authority to afford protection to American lives and property is only a matter of days.

Any doubt existing as to the ruth-

Constitution Warmly Praised

At the final meeting of exhibitors held in the Auditorium yesterday afternoon just before the passing of the first Southeastern Land show into history, every man present applauded the reading of a set of resolutions praising The Constitution and The Journal and thanking them for the co-operation and help they have given the land show enterprise, and characterizing them as "priceless assets which Atlanta should appreciate and cherish."

Arising to speak to the resolutions Walter R. Early, southeastern commissioner for The Chicago Herald development bureau, said in part:

"I want to say here and now that never have I seen a newspaper more loyal to its city, its state, its section of the country, nor to an enterprise for the upbuilding of either, than The Constitution has proven itself.

"I am a newspaper man and know something about newspapers; and I want to say to you men that The Constitution is a newspaper that any city, many times the size of Atlanta, well might be proud of. It is one of the great newspapers of the nation, and for loyalty and as a genuine, effective booster of its community and whatever affects its community for good, The Constitution is a world-beater!"

An ovation followed this brief speech, in which every man in the room participated.

The resolutions, which were adopted unanimously and with enthusiastic acclaim, follow:

Whereas, The Atlanta Constitution and The Atlanta Journal have given lavishly of news space to the Land show, despite conditions which made space at a premium for news the general public was clamoring to get; therefore, be it resolved:

First that in The Atlanta Constitution and The Atlanta Journal the city of Atlanta has a priceless asset which it should appreciate and cherish.

Second, that it is the sense of the exhibitors of the Land show that no city in America has two such liberal and generous papers, headed by men of such broad vision and magnanimous attitude towards events and undertakings for the public good.

Weather Prophecy

FAIR.

Washington—Forecast:

Georgia—Fair Friday, colder in southeast portion; Saturday fair and warmer.

Local Weather Report.

Highest temperature	54
Lowest temperature	38
Mean temperature	46
Normal temperature	45
Rainfall in past 24 hours, inches	.51
Deficiency since 1st of mo., inches	1.23
Deficiency since Jan. 1, inches	1.43

Reports of Weather Bureau Stations.

STATIONS and State of WEATHER.	Temperature. 7 p. m.	High.	Rain 24 h'rs inches
ATLANTA, cloudy	38	54	.51
Baltimore, snow	34	34	.54
Birmingham, cldy	38	48	.38
Boston, cloudy	28	32	.00
Charleston, clear	64	66	.01
Chicago, cloudy	28	28	.00
Denver, cloudy	38	40	.00
Des Moines, clear	26	30	.00
Galveston, clear	54	56	.00
Hatteras, pt. cldy	52	60	.10
Jacksonville, clear	68	74	.16
Kansas City, clear	28	38	.00
Knoxville, cloudy	38	50	.40
Louisville, clear	36	40	.22
Memphis, clear	42	44	.26
Miami, clear	72	82	.00
Mobile, clear	50	62	.46
Montgomery, cldy	44	54	.30
Nashville, clear	36	36	.62
New Orleans, clear	52	58	.01
New York, snow	26	36	.06
Pittsburg, clear	22	31	.00
Portland, Ore., cldy	46	46	.00
Raleigh, rain	50	58	.28
San Francisco clear	62	72	.00
St. Louis, clear	38	46	.00
Buffalo, pt. cloudy	16	20	.00
Tampa, pt. cloudy	68	76	.00
Toledo, clear	24	24	.00
Vicksburg, clear	42	44	.00
Washington, rain	34	36	.56

C. F. von HERRMANN,
Meteorologist, Weather Bureau.

less character of the new submarine campaign and its violation of neutral rights long since has disappeared, and the situation is being made more and more grave daily by aggravating incidents.

Even if the president delays going to congress longer than it is believed in most quarters he will, the present session comes to an end in less than three weeks and it is regarded as inevitable that he will deliver another address on German-American relations before congress adjourns.

Economic Situation Serious.

From an economic standpoint serious results from the new submarine campaign were becoming more apparent today. Representatives of a large group of railroads met here and decided on plans for placing an embargo on eastbound freight destined for exportation unless shipping facilities were assured.

President Wilson himself still was moving slowly in order that no serious step be taken in advance of an unmistakable demonstration of Germany's disregard of the interests and rights of the United States. Realizing that some reports of Germany's activities may have been exaggerated, he is relying on official information.

Efforts of persons and organizations working to maintain peace are going forward with unabated vigor. Their attitude is causing little concern among officials, who say the president has no intention of making any move except on the basis of facts which will satisfy all reasonable patriotic Americans.

Beneath the surface there is a strong undercurrent of discussion of various possible means of averting war, including suggestions that a conference of neutrals be called. There are no indications, however, that the president contemplates any such move.

The president paid another visit to the state, war and navy departments during the day, but it was explained that this did not foreshadow any immediate important developments. Secretary Lansing called at the white house for a brief conference, and afterwards he and the president walked together through a snowstorm to the navy department.

Cabinet Meeting Friday.

A cabinet meeting will be held tomorrow, and at that time the entire situation will be canvassed. In addition to the official reports reaching the state department, members of the cabinet receiving work on the economic effects of the tying up of shipping in American ports probably will present whatever news they have.

Concern over the absence of any word from Ambassador Elkus at Constantinople since the break with Germany was somewhat relieved today when two brief dispatches were received from him. The first, dated February 7, inquired why he was having difficulty communicating with his government. The second was said to be a routine report and its date was not made public. An investigation is under way to determine whether the ambassador's messages are held up at Vienna.

Nothing has been heard of the departure of a train loaded with some 86 American consuls and their families, together with an undetermined number of other Americans which was due to leave Munich for Switzerland early this week. While officials here do not yet feel any alarm, several inquiries have been sent to former Ambassador Gerard and Minister Stovall at Berne, asking for immediate reports on any facts received.

The work of clearing other Americans out of Germany is going on. The advisability of the withdrawal by the international Young Men's Christian association of its twenty or more American representatives who have been working among the prison camps in Germany was discussed today at a conference between state department officials and Dr. John R. Mott, international secretary. While it was agreed that the men must be withdrawn in case of actual war, no decision was reached as to their immediate recall. If Germany should herself force withdrawal under conditions short of war, it is feared that the allied governments would require the fifty-odd Americans working among German prisoners in their countries to cease their activities.

Nothing had been heard by the state department early today from Germany in reply to inquiry as to the exact status of the Americans taken into Germany on the prize ship Yarrowdale. Likewise no news came from Ambassador Elkus at Constantinople about Americans in Turkey.

The government began today to feel the insistent need for some sort of action soon to open a way for movement of shipping now held up in American ports by suspension of sailings on account of the German submarine campaign.

Reports on the accumulating freight now are reaching officials regularly, and although the situation is not yet regarded as serious, it is apparent that American industries will be affected unless ocean shipping starts moving before long.

Sinking of U. S. Schooner.

At the present stage of development of the German-American situation, attention is centered on President Wilson by the growing belief that he will take no step, even to the furnishing of defensive armament to merchant ships, without first consulting congress. Hourly interest is becoming keener as to whether the president will do this, and when.

The sinking of the American schooner Lyman M. Law, in the Mediterranean by an Austrian submarine, probably without warning, is regarded by the cargo was not contraband and the submarine displayed no flag, but since no lives were lost it is believed the incident will not in itself develop into a cause for drastic action.

Within a few days the state department may send a peremptory demand to Berlin for release of the Americans brought in by the prize ship Yarrowdale and held prisoner.

AMERICAN AMONG AINSDALE'S SURVIVORS.

Washington, February 15.—The British sailing vessel Ainsdale, Buenos Aires, for England, was stopped by a submarine 180 miles off Cape Clear, off the Irish coast, on February 5 and sunk after the crew had abandoned the ship. Ambassador Page, at London, advised the state department of the sinking today, saying that one American was among those rescued.

The dispatch did not indicate how the vessel was sunk. It says the crew of twenty-five men were ordered to the boats and after ten hours' exposure were rescued. The Ainsdale was registered in maritime records as a full-rigged ship of 1,725 net tons.

SHIPS TEMPTING GOD, SAYS GERMAN PAPER.

Amsterdam, February 15.—(Via London.)—The Lokal Anzeiger, of Berlin, expresses the hope that cable reports to the effect that American merchantmen are sailing in defiance of the submarine blockade are unfounded.

"The plan for such sailings," it says, "at the bottom amounts to nothing else than most wickedly tempting God."

FIFTEEN OF CREW OF AZUL MISSING.

London, February 15.—Captain Lacey and eleven men of the crew of the British steamer Azul, a submarine victim, have been landed. It develops from them that the Azul, of 3,074 tons, was sunk by a submarine February 7. The captain and the eleven members of the crew with him were picked up soon afterward by the sailing vessel Eudora. A second boat, with the chief officer and fourteen men in it, is reported still missing.

The Eudora herself was sunk yesterday morning and Captain Atkinson and his crew, totaling twenty-five men, together with the Azul's twelve men, took to the boats and were picked up in a few hours.

One member of the Eudora's crew was drowned.

A London dispatch of February 14 reported the sinking of the Azul and the Eudora.

Negro Uses Scuttle On Head of Young Man When Caught Stealing

Griffin, Ga., February 15.—(Special.) Caught in the act of stealing a heavy scuttle of coal from the coal house of T. L. Shappard, of this place, an unidentified negro, using the filled scuttle of coal as a weapon, struck Evander Shappard, son of T. L. Shappard, over the head at his home last night, painfully injuring the young man and making his escape.

Young Shappard, hearing a noise in the coal house, went out to investigate. As he entered the door of the darkened outhouse, the negro, swinging the heavy scuttle with all his strength, brought it down on the head of young Shappard. The negro immediately took to his heels and has not yet been captured.

Shappard was rendered unconscious for some time, but was not seriously injured.

KAISER FINDS COMFORT IN REPLY FROM SWISS

Amsterdam, February 15.—(Via London.)—The German newspapers print telegrams from Vienna describing a conversation between the German emperor and Dr. Hans Mueller, "the poet of royalty," at the Hofburg. Dr. Mueller mentioned the emperor's letter to Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg supporting the peace offer of the central powers. The emperor replied:

"The letter had to be written. Now the entire world knows who is imposing further torture on mankind. Is it already forgotten that the entente protects the murderers of Archduke Francis Ferdinand? When I saw today the land steward of my late friend it was strongly reimpressed upon me that from the beginning the shadow of crime has been hanging over our enemies.

"On our side are right and morality, and to make these triumph every clean weapon must be welcome to us. Look at the European neutrals. Read the Swedish reply. It is a document written as if for eternity. Now, all neutrals know how they must estimate our strength and also our will for peace. For the first time, in a certain sense, the declared will of small states is against the Anglo-Saxon world. Napoleon's continental blockade becomes a reality which hits England harder than anything heretofore."

THREE AMERICANS FOUND MURDERED

Captured by Mexicans on U. S. Soil, Taken Across Border and Executed and Their Bodies Mutilated.

Hachita, N. M., February 15.—Three bodies later identified as those of Andrew P. Peterson, Hugh Accord and Burton Jensen late today were found by Lem Spillsbury, the Pershing scout, one mile west of International Monument No. 53, situated three miles west of the Corner ranch, on the Mexican side of the border.

The bodies of the three Americans were found about fifty feet apart, according to Spillsbury. Each had been shot many times in the head.

Hugh Acord's head was mutilated with a hatchet, according to Spillsbury. All of the bodies were stripped of clothing, hats and shoes.

Spillsbury found the raiders' trails early today and came upon the abandoned bodies late this afternoon. From what he could learn he was convinced that the three murdered men had been taken into Mexico from American soil and there killed.

Americans Were Unarmed.

A government agent, after an investigation of the raid, reported to Washington that the Mexicans under Prudencio Miranda were eating dinner at a ranch house on the American side when Peterson, Jensen and Accord rode up unarmed. The Americans were made prisoners.

His report also confirmed previous reports of the Corner Ranch raid.

From later advices to military officers the reported raid on Lang's ranch and the killing of two American ranchmen was believed to be baseless.

Ed (Bunk) Spencer, the American negro ranch foreman for the E. K. Warren & Sons' interests, who reached the border late Tuesday with Salazer's demand for $5,000 in gold, also brought with him a verbal statement which he declared Salazer made to him at Ojinos, Chihuahua, the purport of which was that Salazer intended to raid an American town on the border which would surpass Villa's raid at Columbus, N. M., and in which all "men of gringo land will have to take care," but that women and children would be protected.

Returns to Mexico.

While Spencer made the trip to the border from Ojitos to deliver Salazer's demand for the ransom, his Mexican wife was held as a hostage at the Ojitos ranch and Spencer said he was told by Salazer that she would be shot if he did not return by sunrise Wednesday. After delivering the message to the general overseer of the Warren ranches Spencer returned to Mexico late Tuesday evening.

While close observers of the border situation professed to see nothing alarming in Salazer's threat, a majority of the population was apprehensive. It was recalled that Villa before his raid on Columbus sent a warning that he was coming.

It became known tonight that the $5,000 demanded by Salazer of the Warren interests not only included the ransom of Spencer and his wife, but also carried with it a threat that unless it was paid, 1,000 head of cattle at Ojitos would be confiscated, the ranch buildings burned and all property destroyed. Salazer was said to have 500 men at Ojitos.

Hearst Ranch Raided.

El Paso, Texas, February 15.—Julio Acosta, a Villa commander, raided the Naherachic ranch, belonging to Mrs. Phoebe Hearst, two miles from Madera, Chihuahua, February 8, killing two Mexican ranch hands, wounding others and completely looting the property, according to a message tonight.

Guardsmen Battle Raiders.

Laredo, Texas, February 15.—Twenty Mexican bandits and a detachment of Florida infantry engaged in a skirmish last night near Zapata. One bandit was captured and several horses belonging to the Mexicans were corralled. The soldiers fired on the bandits shortly after they crossed the Rio Grande and the fire was returned by the Mexicans, who then fled. The down the river, losing track of them Americans pursued them some distance in the darkness.

SUBMARINES SINK 3 BRITISH SHIPS

No Battle of Great Importance, Though Fighting Is Going On in All Principal War Sections.

New York, February 15.—(By Associate Press. From European Cables of the Day.)—While fighting is going on in all the principal theaters of the war, in none of them has there occurred a battle of great importance. For the most part the operations are being carried out by small raiding and reconnoitering parties and by the artillerists of both groups of belligerents. There has been considerable aerial activity on the western front in France—bomb-dropping exploits and fights in the air. In these latter engagements both the entente and Germans have lost airplanes.

During the last 24 hours three British vessels have been sent to the bottom by submarines—the steamers Cilicia, 3,750 tons; Margarita, 375 tons, and Ferga, a new ship the tonnage of which is not contained in available shipping records.

For the first time in several days the British war office reports no gain for the troops of King George fighting in France, although a small raiding party near Guedecourt, in the Somme region, entered a German position and brought back several prisoners. Northeast of Ypres the Germans succeeded in reaching a British post, but later were driven off with losses.

Artillery duels of violence have been in progress in the Somme and Ypres sectors, and in the region of Verdun, on the sectors of Les Maisons de Champagne, Hardaumont and Vaux and in Lorraine.

In Galicia, north of the Tarnopol-Zlochoff railroad, the Germans entered Russian trenches on a front of 100 yards and captured six officers and 275 men. Tunnels that the Russians were pushing beneath the German trenches were destroyed by the Germans. Petrograd admits an attack by the Germans in this region, but says that according to the last reports the battle was still in progress. To the north, in Volhynia, surprise attacks by the Germans against the Russians met with success.

Galatz, one of Rumania's principal Danubian towns, has again been bombarded by the German guns. Field Marshal von Mackensen's forces operating in Rumania have captured a Russian outpost on the Putna river and repulsed an attempted advance by the Russians along the Sereth.

Former Macon Pastor Charged With Sending Obscene Literature

Tampa, Fla., February 15.—J. E. Wray, formerly Methodist minister at Macon, Ga., Live Oak, Orlando and Lakeland, was acquitted in federal court here today on an indictment charging him with mailing "certain letters" giving information as to where obscene matter could be obtained. Judge R. M. Call instructed the verdict "not guilty" when, with the prosecution but half complete, the defense contending that description "certain letters" in the indictment was not sufficient to assure the court that letters offered as evidence were the same used in returning the indictment.

Wray was arrested immediately after on another warrant charging him with expressing a "lewd, lascivious publication" in interstate commerce, and the grand jury will be asked to return an indictment setting forth proper description. He is at liberty under a bond in the sum of $1,000.

AMBASSADOR FLETCHER OFF FOR MEXICO CITY

Laredo, Texas, February 15.—H. P. Fletcher, United States ambassador to Mexico, left Nuevo Laredo at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon for Mexico City. Precautions have been taken to prevent any interference with the special train aboard which Mr. Fletcher and his staff are traveling to the Mexican capital.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. First application gives relief. 50c.

COLOMBIA REPLIES TO PRESIDENT'S NOTE

Bogota, Colombia, February 15.—The government has replied to President Wilson's note in respect to the German submarine campaign, saying that Colombia would preserve her attitude of neutrality. The reply expresses the sincere hope that peace between Germany and America will not be broken.

Georgia Railroad Schedule Changes

Effective Sunday, February 18, 1917. Train No. 11 (daily except Sunday) will be operated only between Conyers and Atlanta, leave Conyers 6:02 a. m., arrive Atlanta 7:35 a. m. Train No. 13 (daily except Sunday) will leave Union Point 5:30 a. m., Madison 6:32 a. m., Social Circle 6:59 a. m., Covington 7:21 a. m., Conyers 7:46 a. m., arrive Atlanta 9:20 a. m. Train No. 80 will leave Monroe 6:25 a. m., arrive Social Circle 6:55 a. m. Train No. 14 (daily except Sunday) will leave Atlanta 6:10 p. m., on present schedule of No. 12 to Buckhead, and arrive Union Point 9:50 p. m. Above trains will not be operated on Sunday. Train No. 8 (daily) will leave Atlanta 3:25 p. m., instead of 3:30 p. m.

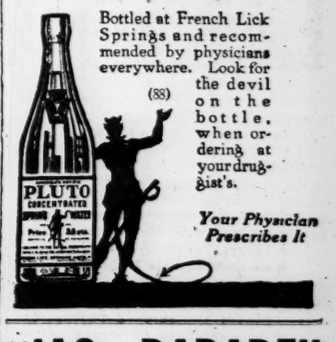
J. P. BILLUPS,
General Passenger Agent.



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—grilling roadwork and cold showers would keep you "fit as a king." Without such stimulus, however, bowel movement inevitably grows sluggish. Good health demands a frequent *internal cleansing* with

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America's Physic



Bottled at French Lick Springs and recommended by physicians everywhere. Look for the devil on the bottle, when ordering at your druggist's. (88)

Your Physician Prescribes It

"JAG PARADE" DRINK CURES

Require SEVERAL WEEKS' absence from home and business, submitting to the always painful and frequently dangerous HYPO NEEDLE and heroic methods of the "old way." A few DAYS spent in a private room where all meals are served at the NEAL INSTITUTE (successor Ga. Keeley), 229 Woodward avenue, Atlanta, Ga., is the Modern "Neal Way." Dr. J. H. Conway, ten years with the "Keeley," Physician in charge.

80 Neal Institutes in Principal Cities.

We make no extra charge for calls at East Point, College Park, Hapeville or Decatur.
BODEN-HUNTER CO., Funeral Directors

Use Constitution Want Ads.

"Rogers sells it for less"

Like putting money in the bank every day

Buying all your groceries at Rogers enables you to add to your savings account every day of the year.

CRANBERRIES, Quart 8c

ATLANTA'S BEST SHORTENING
Made of Pure Vegetable oil; in bulk, per lb. 15½c

Sun-Maid Raisins
Fancy Cluster, regular 20c packge .. 7½c

EGGS Strictly fresh per dozen **45c**

Irish Potatoes Large, select, pound .. 5c

Sun-Dried Peaches
Prepared in the old-fashioned way—unbleached. They are giving splendid satisfaction; while they last— 2 lbs. 15c

BIG SOAP VALUES Limit 10 to a Customer

Export Borax, a superior laundry soap, largest cake on the market . . . . . 3½¢
Rub-No-More Washing Powder, 15-oz. package . . . . . 3½¢
Octagon Cleanser, 3 large cans for . . . . . 11¢
Jappo Cleanser, 3 large cans for . . . . . 11¢
Lenox Soap . . . . . 3¢
Remmer's Bath Tablets, 10c size, 2 for . . . . . 15¢
Remmer's Peroxide Bath, 10c size, 2 for . . . . . 15¢

GEORGIA ELBERTA PEACHES
Large halves, peeled and packed in thick Syrup, No. 2 cans . . . 3 for 29c

Canadian Rutabaga Turnips, lb. . . . . 3½¢
Green Cabbage, lb. . . . . 8½¢

Creamery Butter
Velvet and Clover Hill brands, the highest grade Creamery Butter sold; guaranteed strictly fresh, lb. 44c

Rogers' Bread
Rogers' Quality Loaf is 4 ozs. larger than any other 10c bread on the market, and is as good as you can buy 10c

COFFEE Guaranteed Absolutely Fresh Roasted in our own plant. Our Coffees are growing in popularity every day and all we ask is that you try them. Three grades . . . . . 25¢, 30¢, 35¢

With each pound we give free a ticket to either Savoy or Alamo Theater No. 2.

ROGERS'
81—Economy Stores—81

SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT for the Six Months Ending December 31, 1916, of the Condition of the

Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company
of PHILADELPHIA, PA.

organized under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, made to the Governor of the State of Georgia in pursuance to the laws of said State.
Principal Office—Sixth and Walnut Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

II. ASSETS.

1.	Market Value of Real Estate owned by the Company	$ 3,120,746.64
2.	Loans on Bonds and Mortgage (first liens) on Real Estate	67,535,755.94
3.	Loans secured by pledge of Bonds, Stocks or other Marketable collaterals	1,508,700.00
4.	Loans made in cash to policy-holders on this Company's Policies assigned as collateral	24,664,973.42
5.	Premium Notes, Loans or Liens on Policies in Force	5,867,863.28
6.	Bonds and Stocks owned absolutely, book value, $62,625,012.05; Market value carried out	61,925,198.71
7.	Cash in Company's Office	7,997.94
8.	Cash deposited in Bank to credit of Company	2,161,347.57
10.	Interest due or accrued and unpaid	2,373,616.46
13.	Rents due or accrued and unpaid	1,399.21
14.	Net amount of uncollected and deferred premiums (deduction 20 per cent for average loaning from gross amount)	3,328,844.75
	Total Admitted Assets	$172,496,443.92

III. LIABILITIES.

1.	Net present value of all the outstanding Policies in force	$145,869,548.94
	Deduct net value of risks in this Company, reinsured in other solvent Companies	$4,979.00
	Net Premium Reserve	$145,784,569.94
3.	Death Losses and Mutual Endowments in process of adjustment, or adjusted and not due	$226,268.81
	Death losses reported for which no proofs have been received	467,518.82
4.	Death Losses and other Policy Claims resisted by the Company	2,000.00
	Total Policy Claims	809,387.48
8.	Dividends declared but not yet due	16,680,286.97
10.	Amount of all other claims against the Company	9,222,199.53
12.	Surplus over all Liabilities (all funds assigned to liabilities, as above)	
	Total Liabilities	$172,496,443.92

IV. INCOME DURING THE LAST SIX MONTHS OF THE YEAR 1916.

1.	Amount of Cash Premiums received	$ 12,987,447.18
2.	Amount of Notes Received for Premiums	
3.	Interest and Rents Received	4,106,010.10
4.	Amount of Income from all other sources	474,385.31
	Total Income	$17,567,842.59

V. DISBURSEMENTS DURING THE LAST SIX MONTHS OF THE YEAR 1916.

1.	Losses Paid	$3,636,676.84
2.	Matured Endowments paid	887,122.00
	Total	$4,523,798.84
3.	Deduct amount received from other Companies for Losses or Claims of Policies of this Company reinsured	10,000.00
	Total amount actually paid for Losses and Matured Endowments	$ 4,513,798.84
4.	Annuitants	237,454.99
5.	Surrender Policies and Note Lapses	2,008,743.90
6.	Dividends paid to policy-holders	2,235,209.05
7.	Expenses paid, including Commissions to Agents, and Officers' Salaries	2,440,179.55
8.	Taxes paid	42,434.62
9.	All other Payments and Expenditures	687,911.87
	Total Disbursements	$12,165,732.82
	Greatest Amount Insured in any one risk	$ 100,000.00
	Total Amount of Insurance outstanding	699,026,546.00

A copy of the Act of Incorporation, duly certified, is in the office of the Insurance Commissioner.

STATE OF GEORGIA, COUNTY OF FULTON—Personally appeared before the undersigned, Hugh M. Willet, who, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is of the firm of Bagley & Willet, General Agents of The Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company, and that the foregoing statement is correct and true.

HUGH M. WILLET.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 3rd day of February, 1917.
(Seal) WM. J. FRANKLIN,
Notary Public, Fulton County, Georgia. My Commission expires August 20, 1919.

The Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company

has introduced a disability provision in its policies which surpasses all others in the excellence of its service.
In event of total disability before attaining age sixty the insured is granted:

1. Waiver of payment of premiums.
2. An annuity payable in monthly installments.
3. There will be preserved to the beneficiary the full amount of the policy, payable without deducting the waived premiums or annuity payments above mentioned.

The cost of this feature is very slight.
May we send you particulars?

BAGLEY & WILLET
GENERAL AGENTS
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Seasonable Suggestions

Fresh Vegetables

Special This will probably be your last chance to secure Fresh Florida Vegetables this winter.

Snap Beans, qt. 15c
Lima Beans, qt. 20c
Calif. Iceberg Lettuce, head 15c
Calif. Cauliflower, lb. 15c

Vegetables---Fruits

Highest Quality Canned Goods, at prices that should attract you. Buy a 90 days' supply NOW.

Finest Maine Corn, doz. . . . $1.80
Club House Little Kernel Corn, dozen cans $2.25
Charm Asparagus Points, doz. $2.25
Club House Giant White Asparagus Tips, dozen $3.75
Esdale Early June Peas, large, but good; dozen . . . $1.50
Club House Tiny Peas, doz. $2.85
Melrose Green Lima Beans, dozen $2.25
Homewood Yellow Cling Peaches, large tins, dozen $2.75
Charm Sliced Peaches, doz. $1.00
Monroe, N. Y., Bartlett Pears, dozen $2.25
Holly Brand White Cherries, No. 1 tins, dozen $2.00

Finest Raisins

Sun-Maid Table Raisins in one-pound cartons—sold during the holidays at 20c each. SPECIAL—Ten one-pound packages for $1.00

Eat Raisins freely; they are healthful and good.

Full Head Rice

4 LBS. Full Head Blue Rose Rice for 25c

Kamper Specials

Pot Beef Roast, lb. 19c
Pot Beef Roast, Rolled, lb. . 21c
Fish Salad, lb. 38c
50c Fruit Cake, lb. 43c

Fresh Fish

Buck shad, each 75c
Roe Shad, each $1.00

Block's Kennesaw Biscuit THE PERFECT SODA CRACKER

Breakfast **Bacon** Sliced 25c POUND Limit 2

Highs ATLANTA

No. 3 Cans **PUMPKIN** 20c Values 2 for 25c

Ready-Maid Soups, 90c Doz. Regular 10c Cans
Beef, Ox Tail, Onion, Scotch Broth. Limit 1 Dozen

Refugee String Beans Winsom Brand . $1.75 Per Dozen Half Dozen 90c

PEANUT BUTTER Nut-Let Brand 1 c Glasses . . 11c

PRUNES 2 lbs. 25c

Sifted Peas Geneva Brand. 90c Half Doz.

Graham Flour Schumacher Selected . 5 lbs. 35c

Quaker Corn Flakes Regular 10c Pkgs. Special 4 for 24c

Jams and Jellies Many Good Brands 40c Glass Jars . . 25c

CRANBERRIES Extra Quality Per Quart . . 8c

DRIED PEACHES Mc Grade Fancy . . 2 lbs. 25c

RICE 4½ lbs. 25c

J. M. HIGH CO.

LAWYERS INDICTED AFTER LIQUOR PROBE

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when it ends it is going to be a complete investigation of the situation.

"A great mass of further details has been gathered by my office force that is going to be submitted to the grand jury tomorrow and during the next few days. It is my purpose to put all of this material before the grand jury tomorrow and during the next few days, and upon this I am going to ask for several more indictments against the express company and express company officials.

Raps Express Company.

"From the information we have gathered I believe the express company is chargeable with every possible violation of the state prohibition law.

"The bills drawn this afternoon, after the adjournment of the grand jury, and those to be drawn tomorrow morning before the grand jury meets will total fifteen new bills of indictment, which I will ask the grand jury tomorrow to return in the matter of liquor shipments."

The indictments returned Thursday and those to be asked for today charge and will charge among other things:

Delivery of liquor on Sunday, delivery of liquor to minors, delivery of liquor to individuals in excess of legal quantity, delivery of liquor by officials of the Southern Express company in numerous packages to one person, permitting one person to sign series of fictitious names with the knowledge of the said officials that said names were fictitious, and the delivery of liquor shipments to persons signing fictitious names to affidavits in series with the knowledge of the officials that said names were fictitious.

EXPRESS MEN INDICTED AFTER LIQUOR PROBE

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Washington Square Players, of New York, at the Atlanta tonight in five comedies and dramas. Not for highbrows, but for ALL. YOU and everyone will enjoy them.

You have decided to spend the winter in sunny California

Very good!
Perhaps you are undecided as to the best way to go.
Here are a few *Santa Fe* reasons:



Grand Canyon of Arizona (to see)
Fred Harvey meals (to eat)
California Limited or the Santa Fe de-Luxe (to travel on)
"Santa Fe all the way" (uniform service)

Our roadbed, which is double tracked over half way, leads through the most interesting part of the Southwest. Picture folders of trip and trains upon request.

E. H. Dallas, G. A.
2 N. Pryor St.
Atlanta, Ga.
Phone Main 348

116 Hawaii afterwards

SOUTH CAROLINA PUTS BAN ON LIQUOR ADS

Columbia, S. C., February 15.—The South Carolina house of representatives today passed the Durant bill, which prohibits advertisements of any intoxicants in newspapers and periodicals, or upon any sign or billboard, or by circulars, posters, price lists or otherwise, in this state. The bill has already passed the senate and if signed by the governor it will become operative 20 days thereafter. Violations are made punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, at the discretion of the trial judge.

Dynamite in Coal.

Norfolk, Va., February 15.—Two sticks of dynamite were found in a car of coal while it was being unloaded by Norfolk and Western employees at Lambert's Point Saturday. It is thought the dynamite got in at the mines by accident. There were no caps on the sticks.

To Ask War Credit.

Berlin, February 15.—(Via Sayville.) At the coming session of the reichstag, according to The Zeitung Am Mittag, a new war credit bill will be introduced.



FATIMA

A Sensible Cigarette

ASKS AID OF CITIZENS TO GET ARMY RECRUITS

War Department Takes Unusual Step to Secure Badly Needed Men.

Washington, February 15.—The war department today called upon individual citizens, patriotic societies and organizations to help get recruits for the army.

It is the first step of the kind ever taken by the government in time of peace, army officers say, and is regarded as a forcible illustration of the need the army feels for more men.

A circular letter sent out today states those interested in preparedness "can render no more effective service, at present, than by using their utmost influence to recruit the regular army to the strength authorized by law."

The navy department also has asked assistance from civilians and organizations in recruiting work. Rear Admiral Palmer, in charge of recruiting work, said today that the Navy league was conducting an active recruiting campaign and other similar bodies were being interested in the work.

Much appreciation for the work postmasters are doing as recruiting agents for the army was expressed today in a war department statement. Indiana postmasters lead those of other states, with seventy-four recruits against sixty-four for Georgia.

YOUR POCKETBOOK

Is interested in that few degrees in the temperature of your home. Make sure your thermometer is a dependable one, and you will note the difference in your coal bills. Jno. L. Moore & Sons, the Opticians, have them. 42 N. Broad St. —(adv.)

EXPORT SHIPMENTS UNDER EMBARGO

Railroads Reach Agreement as Result of Great Congestion of Goods at Eastern Ports.

Washington, February 15.—The chief railroads of the country took summary action today to relieve the shortage of freight cars and the traffic congestion at eastern seaports, again approaching an acute stage because of the curtailment of trans-Atlantic sailings by Germany's new submarine campaign.

Representatives of thirty roads, at a meeting here attended by interstate commerce commission officials, reached a "gentleman's agreement" for a new and drastic campaign of relief, including the following measures:

Adoption of regulations fantamount to a virtual embargo on all export shipments through eastern ports, until a part of the vast accumulation already awaiting steamships can be cleared away.

Liberal use of "an intelligent embargo" on all domestic east-bound shipments, such an embargo, already effective on some roads, may be extended.

To Send Empties Back.

A policy of separating empty from loaded cars in the congested yards and sending the empties back, with others released by unloading, to western lines in solid trainloads, ahead of all other traffic except passenger trains.

Eastern roads agree to give in addition an empty car to their western connection for every loaded car received.

Export traffic through the east will remain virtually at a standstill during the period of adjustment and eastbound domestic traffic will be greatly curtailed, if the plans work out. The amount of freight for export has increased greatly at eastern points because of the great decrease in steamship sailings since the severance of diplomatic relations with Germany, the congestion at some eastern yards, it was said, having become so serious that it is extremely difficult to move anything. One road is reported to have every track crowded and in addition cars loaded with export wheat standing on 94 barges in New York harbor. Every eastern grain elevator is said to be overflowing and in addition there are 4,000,000 bushels of export wheat in Minneapolis which have been awaiting transportation east for more than two months.

Shortage of Grain.

In New England the railroad men say there is a threatened shortage of grain, while the flour supply of Pittsburg, Philadelphia, New York and New England cities is none too large. At today's meeting it was decided to move two trainloads of fifty cars each from Minneapolis daily, one laden with wheat for New England, the other carrying flour to New England and the three cities named.

The two daily trainloads of wheat and flour are to be given the right of way over all other traffic except passenger business. Railroad officials believe the plan will succeed in averting any foodstuffs shortage in eastern cities. The embargo applying against eastbound shipments, it was said, will not apply to foodstuffs for domestic use, which will be expedited as much as possible. The roads also will move coal promptly to eastern cities and to any points where a shortage threatens, directing their first energies to keeping the lines open for coal and food.

As fast as sailing ocean steamers diminish the accumulation of freight awaiting export at eastern ports, the railroads will let down the bars on the embargo, permitting the shipment ton for ton, of supplies to replace those taken away. In this manner, it is thought, the old accumulation can be disposed of and fresh shipments will await their turn.

DIXIE LUMBERMEN ARE HARD HIT.

Memphis, Tenn., February 15.—The lumber industry of the south, especially in the hardwood timber belt, faces the possibility of a general suspension of operations unless restrictions placed against the shipment of the raw product to manufacturing centers in the east are quickly removed, according to statements made here today by men prominently identified with the industry. In the event the plants are forced to close, thousands of workmen would be thrown out of employment.

Means of averting a wholesale shutting down of sawmills in the hardwood forests of the central south will be discussed at a special meeting here tomorrow of the board of governors of the Southern Hardwood Traffic association. An appeal to the federal government for the immediate enactment of legislation to relieve the situation will be proposed, it was stated, tonight. The advisability of calling a meeting of lumber shippers of all the southern states also will be considered.

SAILING OF VESSELS TO HELP SITUATION.

New York, February 15.—Relief from the freight congestion caused by the German submarine policy was seen today in the announcement that a number of Dutch and Scandinavian vessels would soon depart with cargoes. The understanding that the British naval authorities had arranged for neutral ships bound for Scandinavian ports to touch at Halifax instead of Kirkwall and thus avoid the submarine zone, gave promise of the resumption of regular sailings.

The export situation today, however, was declared by railroad traffic heads to be the most serious in the history of the port. They said the congestion was not serious here, because of almost wholesale embargoes against shipments from the west for export. These embargoes, it was pointed out, are responsible for unusually congested conditions in the west.

Unless relief now is assured through early offerings of considerable cargo space, according to men familiar with the situation, more restrictive embargoes must be placed, congestion will increase in many parts of the country, loaded cars will stand idle, great quantities of perishable foodstuffs will be dumped on domestic markets, manufactories will cease to consign shipments eastward and the production of many raw products will be reduced.

Railroad traffic managers assert that the ship shortage situation of a year ago, when the export burden overtaxed New York's capacities, taught a lesson from which they are profiting at this time. Then piers and terminals were piled with freight, much of which perished. Today, they point out, there is no such congestion because for many months the railroads have accepted freight from the south and west only when consignees proved in advance that cargo space was awaiting.

This method has kept railroad terminals here comparatively free from overcrowding, but has caused car shortage situations elsewhere so serious that traffic heads have become alarmed.

Unique, diverting and highly enjoyable are the five comedies and dramas by Washington Square Players, of N. Y., at the Atlanta tonight. Don't miss them.

AMBASSADOR GERARD AND PARTY REACH PARIS

Reported by Berlin as Having Praised "German Hospitality and Chivalrousness."

Paris, February 15.—James W. Gerard, former American ambassador at Berlin; Mrs. Gerard and their party, forty-two persons in all, arrived in Paris this morning from Berne, Switzerland. They were met at the station by the American Ambassador, William G. Sharp, and the embassy staff.

A battalion of French photographers took snapshots of Mr. and Mrs. Gerard as they alighted from the train. The journey from Berne was without incident. The French government placed two cars at the disposition of the party, attaching them to a regular train. Mr. and Mrs. Gerard are stopping at a hotel.

Mr. Gerard had a long talk with Mr. Sharp at the embassy this morning. He probably will be received by distinguished representatives of the French government, and will meet some of the most important personages at a dinner which Mr. and Mrs. Sharp are arranging.

Rate on Pig Iron.

Washington, February 15.—Proposed increases of from 15 to 50 cents per ton in the rate on pig iron from Birmingham and other southern producing points to destinations in New England were suspended today by the interstate commerce commission until June 17. They applied to rail and water traffic.

OFFICER IS INJURED IN CROSSING TRACKS

Mount Airy, Ga., February 15.—(Special.)—Jim Looney, of Toccoa, Ga., deputy sheriff of Stephens county, was struck here today by train No. 12 at 11 o'clock and badly injured, one leg being mangled and his head lacerated. He was trying to board the train and passed in front of the engine.

A series of electric buttons, the correct combination of which to produce results is known only to authorized person, featured one automobile starter.

Headaches

due to stomach, liver or kidney—are permanently relieved by Shivar Mineral Water. Positively guaranteed by money-back offer. Tastes fine; costs a trifle. Delivered anywhere by our Atlanta Agents, Coursey & Munn Drugstore, Marietta and Broad Sts.

We render every service and look carefully after every detail.
BODEN-HUNTER CO.,
Funeral Directors.

ARROW COLLARS



ARROW Collar styles are not only most correct, but the collars are the most durable and perfect fitting it is possible to produce.

15 cts. Each—6 for 90 cts.

MARLEY 2½ inches
DEVON 2¼ inches

CLUETT, PEABODY & CO., Inc., *Makers*

STOP LOOK LISTEN

Do you, Mr. Automobile Owner, take thought for the safety and life of yourself and that of your fellow passengers, by bringing your car to a full stop and looking and listening before you cross a railroad track?

If not, you are urged to give serious consideration to the danger of grade crossings.

The locomotive engineer has a heavy train behind him and the public demands efficient schedule time. Often he cannot see you until it is too late.

Your car is light, easily stopped and started and you can see the warning sign before you reach the crossing.

It is better to be safe than sorry. Will you not co-operate in eliminating grade crossing accidents by making it your inviolable rule to be safe ALWAYS?

CENTRAL OF GEORGIA RY.
L. W. BALDWIN,
Vice President and General Manager.



Don't Rub It On
Bruises or Sore Muscles

Sloan's Liniment quickly penetrates and soothes *without rubbing*. Cleaner than mussy plasters or ointments, does not stain the skin.

Have a bottle handy for emergency, rheumatic aches and pains, neuralgia, lumbago, gout, strains, sprains and lame back, yield to Sloan's Liniment.

At all druggists, 25c. 50c. and $1.00.

Sloan's Liniment
KILLS PAIN

Have Your Spring Suit
Made *Now*
In Our Tailoring Department

WHY NOW? Because possibly the Tailors can give it a little more care than later when very busy.

Because the selection is broader than when many patterns have been chosen.

Because when suit is completed, if you desire we'll keep it in our wardrobe till you're ready for it.

And then a phone call in the Spring will cause it to be sent at once to your apartment or home.

Why Made in Our Tailoring Department?

Because our Woolens come from the worthiest sources.

Because our Tailors are the best the art affords.

Because the taste that goes into the selection of the patterns we show, will warrant you practically in choosing at random.

A CLOSING WORD: If you have a suit made to order, have the best. It is by far the most economical in the long run.

THINK THIS OVER
and then move in line with your judgment

Geo. Muse Clothing Co. 3-5-7 Whitehal

Chamberlin-Johnson-DuBose Co. Atlanta, New York ---Paris--- Chamberlin-Johnson-DuBose Co.

A Window of the Furniture Store Is Filled With

Toilet Tables
At Reduced Prices

Stop a moment in front of the great window of the furniture store. Here is a splendid sight for those who need a mahogany toilet table. Every one that you see there has had a great part of its price scratched off by our clearaway pencil.

But to give you an accurate idea of the reductions—

At **$13.50**, a Colonial Toilet Table that was $21.50.
At **$12.50**, an Adam Toilet Table that was $21.00.
At **$19.50**, a Colonial Toilet Table that was $29.00.
At **$27.50** a William & Mary Toilet Table that was $48.00.
At **$29.50**, a Colonial Toilet Table that was $57.50.
At **$39.00** a Colonial Toilet Table that was $70.00.

And this is but a partial list.

They are odd pieces with us, which accounts for the reductions.

Perhaps it would be well to start early for these.

Chamberlin-Johnson-DuBose Company

Chamberlin-Johnson-DuBose Co.
Atlanta—New York—Paris

Women Are Selecting Their Spring Suits

The first hint from the weather man that we are leaving winter behind has brought the spring suit into its own.

Every day now sees more and more women looking about, trying on, selecting.

And what a fine array we have ready for them!

It is such a display as instills confidence, sets a woman at her ease.

It is made up of the suits that America's foremost have given out as their best. And their best this year is a better best than we have seen in many and many a year. We mean there is a greater number of novelties—fabrics, designs, colors.

Indeed, it is refreshing to see so many different new weaves—flat surface weaves, twilled weaves, such a variety of designs, the sports idea, the semi-sports idea, the smart and rather snugly fitting tailored design; and all the different colors that are used, the new blues, the greens, the many shades of tan. Surely it is a season when a woman can express her individuality to better advantage.

And now is the time!

Prices Go from $25.00 Upward

Lightly Boned Are the New Corsets

The sports clothes have their own corsets this season.

They are lightly boned. The amount of boning differing as the corset is modeled for the slight, the average, the stout figure.

The same is true of the height of the bust. There is only enough and no more; they are finished with elastic bands. Skirts are medium and long.

New Successos are **$3.50 to $6.50.**

New Madame Irenes are **$5.00 to $27.50.**

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SOCIETY

Dinner Party.

Dr. Thornwell Jacobs was host at a beautiful dinner party last evening at his home in Ansley Park, the occasion celebrating his birthday. The Valentine idea prevailed in the table decorations. The centerpiece was an artistic arrangement of red carnations and narcissi and the place cards were Valentines.

Little red heart-shaped boxes at the places held bonbons and the cakes, ices and other pretty details were in red and white.

The guests included Dr. W. F. Melton of Oxford, Mr. Harry Harmon, Mr. Frank L. Stanton, Mr. Robert Loveman of Dalton, Dr. R. O. Flinn, Major Charles W. Hubner, Mr. Lucien Knight, Mr. William Hurd Hillyer, Dr. J. T. Jacobs, Mr. Whitehead.

Madame Guerin to Read.

Madame Guerin, of Paris, will be heard at Woodberry hall and at Agnes Scott this morning. At noon she will read Joan of Arc at Woodberry hall. Many interested French and dramatic students are expected from the city, in addition to the college girls. She will read in French, with seven changes of costume. Later the students and faculty of Woodberry hall will be the guests of Agnes Scott to hear Madame Guerin read Marie Antoinette Friday evening.

Valentine Party.

Mr. D. P. Edwards entertained at a pretty Valentine party Wednesday afternoon at her home on Forrest avenue, in celebration of the tenth birthday of her little daughter, Sarah Elizabeth.

The decorations were appropriate to St. Valentine's day. The ices and mints being in red and white, and dainty Valentines marked the places of each little guest.

Oyster Supper.

East Atlanta chapter No. 108, O. E. S., will give an oyster supper this evening from 5 to 10 o'clock, at the corner of Flat Shoals and Glennwood avenues. Admission, 25 cents.

Return of "Alice in Wonderland."

The committee of the Atlanta Woman's club have had so many requests from the children who were unable to see the picture of "Alice in Wonderland" that they have arranged to have the picture shown again Saturday morning.

Alice and her dreamland companions will all be there, the little "White Rabbit" who is ever near Alice to guide her on her journey, the old "Mock Turtle" and "Humpty-Dumpty" and the famous chappies, "Tweedle Dee and Tweedle Dum."

All the children who have not seen this remarkable animated picture of childhood dreams will take this opportunity and come Saturday morning at the Grand theater, from 9 to 12.

Twin Babies.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Neilson, of Paris, France, announce the birth of twins, a son and a daughter. Mrs. Neilson was Miss Daphne Gunby, daughter of Mr. E. R. Gunby, of Atlanta and Tampa, Fla., and her marriage to Mr. Neilson took place in Atlanta over a year ago.

The news is commented upon in The Tampa Morning Tribune, Mr. and Mrs. Gunby, now in Tampa, as follows:

"The stork interrupted a nice dinner party at the Tampa Yacht Country club Sunday evening, threw an ardent discussion of golf into the background and 'Gran' Pa' E. R. Gunby hasn't got the smile off his face yet. Colonel Gunby, formerly a resident of Tampa, but now of Atlanta, who is visiting here, was called to the telephone from the dinner table at which were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Fielder, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mahoney, Clarence Camp and Jimmy Harnett, and returned with the news of the arrival of twins, a boy and a girl, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Neilson, in Paris, France. Mrs. Neilson was Miss Daphne Gunby. The party refused to believe the 'rumor,' but when the colonel came to town, got the cablegram and returned they had to agree with his 'Gee, ain't I some grandpa!' The message read: 'Daphne and twins, boy and girl, doing well.'"

Luncheon Party.

Mrs. John D. Little entertained a party of twelve at a beautiful luncheon yesterday, her guests invited at half after one o'clock.

The table decorations were in yellow roses and ferns, these artistically arranged in bisque vases placed at intervals about a miniature bisque fountain ornate with fern.

Mrs. Little wore a becoming toilet in dark green, the corsage of huge colored chiffon, brightened by a waistcoat of green brocaded in silver.

For Miss Hunt.

Miss Helen Jones entertained delightfully at bridge luncheon yesterday at her home in compliment to Miss Louise Hunt, of Knoxville, the guest of Miss Aimee Hunnicutt.

Jonquils, narcissi and hyacinths decorated the apartments, and the prizes at bridge were a beaded bag and a tapestry novelty.

Miss Jones was gowned in blue crepe meteor trimmed in cut steel beads. There were twelve guests.

Mrs. Colcord's Tea.

A delightful occasion yesterday was the afternoon tea given by Mrs. A. R. Colcord at her home in West End in compliment to Miss Allie Purser, a bride-elect.

Seventy-five ladies among Miss Purser's acquaintances were invited and a happy hospitality was extended them.

The house had artistic decoration in foliage plants and flowers, pink the prevailing color in the dining room, where tea was served with accompanying dainties. The tea table centerpiece was a silver loving cup of roses, and pretty detail was pink.

Frozen punch was served in the library and there red and white flowers were used effectively.

Mrs. Colcord wore a graceful gown of black chiffon embroidered in jet. The pretty bride-elect wore white tulle over silver cloth with finish in pearls and iridescents.

Mrs. John F. Purser wore black crepe de chine embroidered. Miss Julia Purser was gowned in pink taffeta draped with black tulle. Mrs. Carroll, of Troy, Ala., the guest of Miss Purser, wore white crepe de chine with purple orchids.

Assisting Mrs. Colcord in entertaining were Mrs. John F. Purser, Mrs. W. B. Willingham, Jr., Mrs. Harry Kilpatrick, Mrs. Minna Strother Waddell, Mrs. Irving Stafford of Chicago, Mrs. Will Payne, Jr., Mrs. Marion Willingham, Mrs. Homer Carmichael, Miss Theodosia Willingham, Miss Louise Dudley, Miss Agnes Pritchard, Miss Cornelia Cooper, Miss Adelaide Callaway.

Serving punch were Misses Frances Stokes, Sarah Wells and Sarah Colcord.

Mrs. William K. W. Jenkins will entertain at luncheon today for Miss Purser and Mrs. Aubrey Milam will entertain Saturday afternoon.

On Saturday night the gentlemen who will be attendants at the wedding of Miss Purser and Mr. Gifford on Tuesday will entertain the ladies of the bridal party with a theater party.

On Monday night Dr. and Mrs. Purser will entertain the bridal party at buffet supper after the rehearsal.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Mell R. Wilkinson will entertain at dinner Friday evening at their home on Peachtree in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Morgan.

Argentine Club.

On Saturday evening, February 17, the Argentine club will entertain its members and their friends with a delightful dance at the hall on East Pine street. No invitations will be extended for this occasion, but the members of the other dancing clubs of the city are cordially invited.

Valentine Supper-Dance.

The Valentine supper-dance at the Atlanta Athletic Country club was one of the most enjoyable affairs ever given at East Lake. About 300 guests were served.

The decorations were red and white, this scheme being carried out in the favors, as well as the club decorations of flowers. On each table the diners found imported tissue hats of red and white, representing the latest style spring millinery. Horns, cowbells, whistles and other novelty noise makers were also on each table and were much in evidence during the evening. Each guest received a beautiful Valentine, and all voted the affair one of the most successful of the season.

Among the guests were:

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wyatt, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. James N. Brawner, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Philips, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Shepherd, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Goodhart, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Duncan, Misses Janet Hatcher, Helen Rhorer, Grace Bloodworth, Lucile Watson, May Crichton, Natalie Thrower, Lida Nash, Ruth Thompson, Annie E. Leomon, Celia Thrower, Irene Thrower, Messrs. Henry Floyd, Frank Margerson, Albert Duncan, Charles Floyd, Robert DiCristina, Stewart Brown, Burt Clark, J. H. Smith, Robert Harris, Charles Moon, K. J. Fielder, Dr. R. R. Daly, Troy Patterson, W. T. Hastings, J. B. McNelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed W. Davison entertained in honor of Miss Cora Van Antwerp, of Saratoga Springs, N. Y. Their guests were Miss Edith Russell, Mr. John Bachman, Mr. F. W. Herbes. Others attended after dinner.

Boyie-Corry.

A quiet wedding yesterday was that of Miss Ruth Boyie, of Silver City, Fla., and Dr. James E. Corry, which took place at the residence of Dr. H. A. Porter, pastor of the Second Baptist church, who officiated.

The ceremony was witnessed by a few close friends, and Dr. and Mrs. Corry left afterwards for a month's stay in Chicago, where he will take a post-graduate course in surgery. En route home they will visit relatives in Asheville, N. C., and Greenville, S. C., and they will reside in Atlanta.

The bride is an attractive and charming young woman of a family prominent in Florida, her father until his death a year ago, the owner of orange plantations on the Indian river.

Dr. Corry, who graduated in his profession in Atlanta and did supplementary work for several years in New York city, is a surgeon meeting with success, and he has many friends to congratulate him.

Mrs. Davis Entertains.

That happiest of social gatherings, the afternoon tea, found delightful expression yesterday in Mrs. Archibald Davis' hospitality, when she entertained in compliment to her charming kinswoman, Mrs. Frederick Conway Peace, a recent bride.

The guests were received in the drawing room, which had gay color introduced in jonquils, with background of palms and ferns. Foliage plants and flowering plants were used with taste in the decoration of all the reception rooms, and in the dining room, graceful silver vases on buffet and cubinets were filled with pink roses. Their color was repeated in the ices which completed a dainty repast.

Mrs. Davis was becomingly gowned in black net, embroidered in silver sequins and jet, and her corsage flowers were crimson roses and marguerites. Mrs. Peace wore a white satin gown, draped with white tulle, embroidered with irredescents and her corsage bouquet was of pink rosebuds.

Miss Margaret Traylor and Miss Nellie Hood Ridley, lovely brides-to-be, presided at the coffee urn. Miss Traylor was gowned in white Georgette crepe, embroidered in silver beads. Miss Ridley wore rose-colored Georgette crepe and taffeta.

In the receiving party were Mrs. Charles J. Haden, Mrs. Bolling Jones, Mrs. W. A. Speer, Mrs. George M. Traylor, Mrs. E. E. Dougherty, Mrs. Thornwell Jacobs, Mrs. Kenneth Matheson, Mrs. Marion McH. Hull, Mrs. Ernest Kontz, Mrs. R. O. Flinn, Mrs. C. V. Le Craw, Mrs. A. E. Harless, Mrs. J. T. Stevenson, Mrs. J. D. McCarty, Mrs. Arnold Broyles, Mrs. Francis Block, Mrs. Wilmer L. Moore, Mrs. Edwin F. Johnson.

To Literary Club.

Dr. and Mrs. Thornwell Jacobs entertained Thursday evening, at their home in Ansley Park, at a dinner in honor of the members of a select literary club. The following are the members: Dr. Thornwell Jacobs, Major Charles W. Hubner, Messrs. William Hurd Hillyer and Henry Harman, Dr. W. F. Melton, of Emory university; Professor C. A. Whitehead, of the Atlanta schools, and Mr. Robert Loveman, of Dalton. Other guests of Dr. and Mrs. Jacobs were Dr. Shipman, of Atlanta seminary, and Mr. Dillman Jacobs. Incidentally the event was the birthday dinner of both Drs. Jacobs and Shipman.

MEETINGS

The Woman's Alliance of the Unitarian church will hold a meeting today at the church, 301 West Peachtree street. Sewing at 11 o'clock and box lunch at 1 o'clock, then a short business meeting. Every one interested is invited.

The Parent-Teacher association of the Stewart Avenue school will hold the next meeting Tuesday, February 20.

Electa chapter No. 6, O. E. S., will hold a regular meeting this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Masonic temple. Election of worthy patron. All duly qualified members are urged to attend.

Meat Rations Increased.

Berlin, February 15.—(Via Sayville.) The Bavarian department of the interior has increased the weekly meat ration, the Overseas News agency announced today. This increase follows one made a few days ago for Berlin, the agency states.

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SOCIAL ITEMS

Mr. Eugene C. Lyle is seriously ill at Davis-Fischer sanitarium.

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Mrs. W. J. Stoddard has returned from Florida.

Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Elkin have returned from Kentucky.

Mrs. Marion Seabrook is spending this week in New Orleans.

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Mr. Cator Woolford has returned from a business trip in the middle west.

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Miss Celeste Janes left Tuesday for the Mardi Gras festivities in New Orleans.

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Mrs. E. D. Richardson and son, Leonard, left yesterday for a few days' visit in Macon.

Mrs. B. S. Walker, of Monroe, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Paul Felder Vose.

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Dr. M. S. Richardson, of Cedartown, is taking a post-graduate course in Louisville, Ky.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walker Glenn, of Monroe, La., are visiting their parents, Rev. W. F. Glenn and Mrs. Glenn.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. P. McBurney will entertain at dinner Sunday evening in honor of Mrs. John McKinlock.

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Mrs. Ruth Hallman Hill will entertain at luncheon Tuesday in honor of Mrs. John McKinlock.

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Mrs. Eugene Harrington entertained the members of her sewing club yesterday informally at luncheon.

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Mrs. Sallie C. Suggs, of Thomaston, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. P. Edwards, on Forrest avenue.

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Mrs. S. J. Purtell is confined to her apartment in the Lenox, as the result of a severe fall.

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Dr. William A. Brierley, after spending several days in the city, has returned to Denver, Colo.

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Mrs. S. G. Price and daughter, Mrs. Leslie Brice, of Columbia, S. C., are the guests of Mrs. George Brice at her home on East Pine street.

Mrs. George Kendall of Ann Arbor, Mich., who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Frances Tuller, for two months, will leave for home today.

Mr. J. H. Byrley, who has spent the past several weeks at the Georgian Terrace, leaves the last of the week for his home in Philadelphia.

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Mrs. J. S. Carroll, of Troy, Ala., who will be matron of honor at the Purser-Gifford wedding next week, is the guest of Miss Allie Purser. Miss Miles, of Montgomery, and Miss Catherine Reese arrived last night to visit Miss Purser.

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Mrs. William S. Goldsmith and Miss Grace Goldsmith will go to Athens today to spend the week-end with Mr. William S. Goldsmith, Jr., and will be among the guests attending the S. A. E. dance this evening. They will return home Sunday.

STEPDAUGHTER HEIR; CHILDREN FIGHT WILL

Rome, Ga., February 15.—(Special.)—Because he left half of his estate to his step-daughter, Mrs. Alice Hardin, the will of Ransom Barnes, a wealthy farmer of Floyd county, is being contested by his children. One of them, however, Charles E. Barnes, was made a coheir with the step-daughter. The case is pending before Ordinary Harry Johnson. The disinherited children, Mrs. C. H. Peel, Mrs. Lee Burkhalter and J. H. Barnes, of Erie, Okla., allege that when the will was made their father was ill and under the improper influence of Mrs. Hardin and her husband, with whom he made his home.

Reichstag Committee.

Berlin, February 15.—(Via Sayville.) The reichstag main committee will meet next Wednesday, the day before the reichstag assembles.

Baby's Cold

croup or sore throat is al-most instantly relieved by simply rubbing chest, throat and nostrils with fragrant Eucapine Salve. Wonderful and delightful new discovery, family jar, 25c at drug stores

Bishop Nelson's Funeral To Be Conducted Today; Dean Johnston in Charge

By an oversight the name of Dean T. H. Johnston, of St. Philip's cathedral, was omitted in Thursday's Constitution from the list of bishops and clergy who will officiate at the funeral of Bishop Nelson at 11 o'clock this morning. As he is dean of the cathedral and the services will be in his church, he will, of course have charge of the ceremonies.

The Rev. Dr. Frederick F. Johnson, bishop coadjutor of Missouri, arrived in Atlanta Thursday night, having stopped over in this city to see the late Bishop Nelson on his way to Raleigh, N. C. On reaching here he was informed of the bishop's death and at once decided to remain over for the funeral. He will be given a seat within the chancel with the other bishops participating in the funeral.

Rome Pays Respects.

Rome, Ga., February 15.—(Special.)—In St. Peter's church here this morning a large congregation gathered at a choral celebration of the holy communion, in memory of Bishop Nelson. The bishop's chair was draped in purple and loose flowers were scattered over the prie-dieu in the scanctuary. The Rev. H. Fields Saumenig, rector, was the celebrant.

JOEL DEAN IS DEAD IN SAN ANTONIO, TEX.

Rome, Ga., February 15.—(Special.)—News reached Rome today of the death yesterday in San Antonio, Texas, of Joel Dean, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Dean, of this city. He was 38 years of age, and died suddenly of heart failure. He is survived by his children, his widow and five sisters and two brothers, one of them Ewing Dean, of Atlanta. The funeral will take place here Saturday.

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Another Girl's Experience.

New Castle, Ind.—"From the time I was eleven years old until I was seventeen I suffered each month so I had to be in bed. I had headache, backache and such pains I would cramp double every month. I did not know what it was to be easy a minute. My health was all run down and the doctors did not do me any good. A neighbor told my mother about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I took it, and now I feel like a new person. I don't suffer any more and I am regular every month."—Mrs. HAZEL HAMILTON, 822 South 15th St., Newcastle, Ind.

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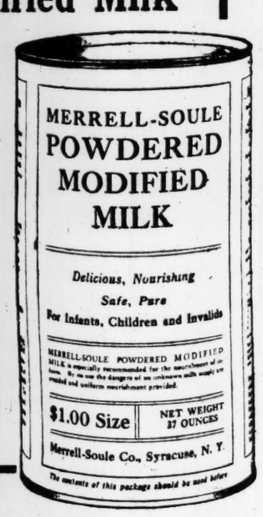


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CHIEF NOW RESPONSIBLE FOR ROOMING HOUSES

Mayo's Recommendations Followed by Police Committee in Granting Permits.

The police committee of council yesterday afternoon put it squarely up to the chief of police in the matter of issuing permits for rooming houses.

All the petitions by women for rooming houses were acted upon according to the recommendations made by the police chief. Those he approved were adopted, and those he disapproved were turned down.

By the action of the committee the chief of police will be held responsible if any of the permits granted are given to persons of bad character.

Chairman J. Lee Barnes, ex-officio member of the police board, held in one hand the report of the chief of police and in his other the petitions for rooming houses. When the chief approved the permits were adopted; when the chief disapproved the permits were reported adversely. Seven petitions were turned down.

"I have told the chief of police," stated Chairman Barnes, "that we look to him to have all of these permits investigated. I believe he is doing good work, for I am informed that the number of women of questionable character has greatly decreased."

All the members of the committee present voted on the police chief's recommendations. Those voting were: Chairman Barnes, Alderman Seawright and Councilmen Cochran, Carpenter, Dolivin and Landers.

CUBA BACKING WILSON, SAYS DUDLEY T. YARD

D. Dudley T. Yard, manager of the Atlanta branch of the Pennsylvania Rubber company, has returned to Atlanta after a stay of several days in Havana, Cuba, and he says that half of the residents of Cuba have automobiles, two-thirds are interested in politics and three-fourths of them have profound respect for the United States and President Wilson.

Mr. Yard said that when diplomatic relations were severed with Germany, the Cubans held a meeting in Havana and pledged their support of the American government.

"They are having a hard time in Cuba at present," said he, "because the Cubans don't know who is their president, an election having been held in November, the returns of which are still coming in.

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After Due Trial Jailbirds Lash Fellow Prisoner

Led by Charles E. Davis, Land Grabber, Inmates of Cobb County Jail Convict "Pink" Williams of Starving Wife.

Marietta, Ga., February 15.—(Special.)—Led by Charles E. Davis, the convicted land grabber formerly of Atlanta, prisoners in the Cobb county jail here yesterday organized an informal court, found "Pink" Williams, of Marietta, guilty of inhuman cruelty, punished him with thirty lashes, and then calmly asked Sheriff Swanson, "What are you going to do about it? We're dealing justice."

Williams was put in jail after a doctor's visit to his home had discovered his wife nearly dead of starvation and three of her children in little better condition. Williams himself has two children who, according to Sheriff Swanson, have been well fed while their stepmother and her children have been deprived of all food. A few days ago Sheriff Swanson and Solicitor Clay, who had investigated complaints against Williams, ordered him within a certain time to supply his wife and the three hungry children. He failed to do so, with the result that he is now a prisoner, his wife is in the poorhouse, critically ill from starvation, and the five children are in the care of an orphans' home agent.

As soon as Williams was thrown into jail his fellow prisoners, learning of his conduct, placed him on trial. Charles E. Davis, who is under a six-year sentence to the chaingang for land frauds, acted both as judge and as prosecuting attorney. Joe Hames, who recently robbed a store here, was sheriff, and a jury of three men, serving jail sentences for horse and cattle stealing, heard the evidence. Williams was made to tell his story, and was found guilty without extenuation, and whole-heartedly given thirty lashes.

Members of the impromptu court have not received any punishment.

ATLANTA BOY SCOUTS AT TABERNACLE FRIDAY

About 300 Atlanta Boy Scouts will attend in uniform their seventh anniversary demonstration this evening at 8 o'clock at the Tabernacle Baptist church, and their part of the program will include the reciting of the Scout's oath and the pledge to the flag.

Ivan E. Allen will preside; Harrison Jones will deliver an address on "Scouting," and Mell R. Wilkinson will read the annual message to Scouts, which has been sent by Colin Livingstone, of Washington, president of the national council.

A silk flag will be presented to the Atlanta council by Mrs. Charles F. Rice, representing the Atlanta chapter of D. A. R., and this flag will be received on behalf of the Atlanta council by Mayor-Candler. The last feature on the program will be the showing of the five-reel picture, "The Adventures of a Boy Scout."

The public is invited to attend.

JOHN H. GOSSETT DIES THURSDAY AFTERNOON

John H. Gossett, 35 years old, of the Empire hotel, a special deputy in Solicitor Lowry Arnold's office, died at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. He is survived by his wife, his father, N. W. Gossett, four brothers and two sisters. The body was removed to the chapel of A. O. & Roy Donehoo.

WILL SEEK PLACES FOR ALL MEMBERS OF STATE MILITIA

Edgar T. Whatley, immigrant inspector of the port of Savannah, has asked State Commissioner of Commerce and Labor Hal M. Stanley for his cooperation in securing employment for mustered out members of the national guard who may be in need of work. This service is being rendered by the United States employment service, of which the offices of immigrant inspection form a branch.

Inspector Whatley has asked Commissioner Stanley to have firms, corporations or individuals who may need employees of any description to file application with Inspector Whatley, of Savannah, or the immigrant inspector in charge, at Jacksonville, Fla.

Inspector Whatley's letter is as follows:

Hon. H. M. Stanley, Georgia State Commissioner of Labor, State Capitol, Atlanta, Ga.—Sir: The United States employment service is endeavoring to secure employment for all members of the national guard who may need employment at the time they are mustered out of service.

It is especially desired that all firms, corporations or individuals who may need employees of any description shall file an application with the immigrant inspector in charge, Jacksonville, Fla., or with the immigrant inspector, Savannah, Ga., and such applications will receive careful attention.

It is thought that you may render valuable assistance in the patriotic duty of securing opportunities for the soldiers, many of whom may lose their former positions because of protracted absence from home. All such will be notified that they may file their applications for employment with the immigrant inspector. Is there not some way you can co-operate with us in bringing this matter before the various employers of labor throughout the state?

Very respectfully,
EDGAR T. WHATLEY,
Immigrant Inspector.

Savannah, Ga., February 14, 1917.

COLD WEATHER DUE TODAY FOR VISIT OF SEVERAL DAYS

Clear and moderately cold weather is in store for Atlantans today, according to the forecast of the United States weather man, C. K. von Herrmann. The temperature will be about the freezing point early in the morning, but will moderate rapidly during the day and the wind is due to abate. Every indication is that it will be a fine day.

"There is no cold wave anywhere in the country, not even in the extreme northwest," said Mr. von Herrmann, "and I see no reason why we should not have some good, pleasant weather now."

AUTO DRIVERS CROWD THEATER FOR AUTO MOVIES

How many automobile drivers know exactly what takes place underneath the hood of their car when it purrs along, contentedly eating up miles with a comfort and ease which stirs no attention to its feat?

The throngs who crowded the Atlanta theater last evening were told just what takes place in this heretofore mysterious compartment. The explanation was given by Gilman M. Flint in his motion picture lecture on the Knight sleeve-valve motor.

Before entering into the detail explanation of the Knight sleeve valve motor, Mr. Flint brought considerable joy to automobile owners present by announcing that he had received authentic information from high automobile authorities that the price of gasoline had reached its maximum height and that a drop in gasoline quotations is anticipated within a short time.

With the aid of an excellent series of motion pictures the speaker was able to go into the minutest detail concerning the construction and operation of the Knight sleeve valve motor.

"The design and operation of the valves," said Mr. Flint, "largely determine the success of any motor. The valve must open fully to permit a maximum quantity of fresh gas to enter the cylinders and to prevent 'dead' gas from entering or leaving the cylinders when gas is being compressed and when the explosion takes place. And they should always open and close at precisely the right time."

Violates U. S. Laws While in Chaingang, Say Federal Agents

One of the shrewdest mail fraud crooks, with whom they have had experience, according to local postoffice inspectors, is J. W. Chancey, who is now doing time in the Clarke county chaingang and, they say, operating from that point. Chancey's scheme, the inspectors say, is to get his friends to turn him over money to make purchases for them of big mail order houses, of whom he pretends to be the agent. They claim he pockets the money and has the goods sent to the parties ordering them by signing the names of well-known firms who have financial standing to the order. Generally the goods are delivered before the alleged fraud is detected.

The government will ask to have an indictment preferred against Chancey and seek to secure his custody from the state authorities as that is the only way they can obtain control of his mail and stop the alleged frauds, they claim.

OVERLAND HIGHWAY MAKES BIG STRIDES IN MANY STATES

Columbus, Ga., February 15.—(Special.)—New life has been injected into the Dixie Overland highway project recently. The highway, which is to be built from Savannah to Los Angeles, is claimed to be the shortest of all the ocean-to-ocean highways. The Dixie Overland Highway association is fully organized and has headquarters in Columbus. John S. Blecker, of this city, is president.

Leland J. Henderson, who recently resigned as secretary of the Columbus Chamber of Commerce, is acting as field secretary of the highway association. Cities and counties all along the route are enthusiastic, and reports are being received in detail of what is being accomplished in the way of constructing sections of the highway. Many links of this ocean-to-ocean road have already been built.

The Dixie Overland highway will pass through the states of Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and California.

One Negro Must Hang, But Mercy Is Granted To Other by Governor

After the state prison commission had acted adversely yesterday upon the commutation of two negroes who were sentenced to hang today, Governor Harris upheld the board in one case and granted clemency in the other.

He refused to interfere in the case of Clarence Dennis, who was sentenced to be hanged in Pike county for the murder of his father, Sam Dennis.

Late Thursday afternoon he commuted to life imprisonment the death sentence under which Richard Glawson, a negro, was to have been hanged today at Macon. Glawson was convicted by a Bibb county jury, February 10, 1916, of a charge of murdering his wife, Mary Glawson.

Aluminum Coin Issued.

Berlin, February 15.—(Via Sayville.) The issue of new one-pfennig coins in aluminum is announced by the Overseas News agency.

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75,000 shares (par value $10) Preferred Stock	$750,000
75,000 shares (par value $10) Common Stock	750,000
Bonded Debt	NONE

I learn the following from a letter from the President of the Anderson Motor Company, Mr. J. G. Anderson:

1. The Company succeeds to the plant, good-will assets and business organization of the Rock Hill Buggy Co., of Rock Hill, S. C., which has successfully manufactured and sold horse-drawn vehicles throughout the South for over 25 years, and which has put the "Anderson" Car on the market during the last two years, selling it to many old customers in the South. Agencies have recently been established in New York, Pittsburgh, Pa.; York, Pa.; Texas, Florida and other states. The present plant is well equipped for the manufacture of bodies, and other parts, and for doing the painting, making the tops, upholstering, etc., etc.

2. The present earnings of the Company are more than sufficient to pay interest on the preferred stock.

3. Only about $40,000 to $50,000 of the proceeds to be derived from the sale of this preferred stock will be used for additions and improvements to plant; the balance is to be exclusively used for commercial capital.

4. The Company begins business free of all indebtedness.

5. During the year 1917, it is calculated the Company will manufacture not less than 1,200 cars, a great portion of the materials for which have already been contracted for, and on which the estimated profit is about $150,000, or almost four times the interest on the preferred stock. The Company expects to manufacture 3,000 cars in 1918, and in 1920, not less than 5,000 to 6,000 cars, the profits on which should amount to $350,000 to $500,000, or at the rate of 50 to 75 per cent. on the Common Stock, after paying 7 per cent. on the Preferred Stock.

6. The Company has in hand contracts and orders for three times its productive capacity.

7. The Anderson Motor Company is a Southern organization, managed by Southern men, and financed with Southern capital. The management is therefore desirous of distributing the stock in the States of North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, and Tennessee.

8. The cost of labor, and the freight on a large part of the raw material used in construction, is less than that paid out by other automobile companies.

9. The best and most expert manufacturers of automobiles obtainable, are in charge of each department.

10. Automobile companies have been uniformly profitable where honestly managed. In one instance, the profit from $100 invested, has amounted to $33,000.

11. The Anderson Motor Company is incorporated under the Laws of South Carolina, and all legal matters have been passed upon by Messrs. Wilson & Wilson, of Rock Hill, and Judge Ira B. Jones, Ex-Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of South Carolina, copies of whose opinions will be mailed on request.

12. The Directors of the Anderson Motor Company are:

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J. A. CARR, of Carr Bros., Hattiesburg, Miss.
J. G. ANDERSON, Pres. Rock Hill Buggy Co., Rock Hill, S. C.
J. W. ANDERSON, Mgr. Rock Hill Buggy Co., Rock Hill, S. C.

13. The following are a few of the prominent stockholders in the company:

STOCKHOLDERS:

JOS. HULL, Pres. Merchants National Bank, Savannah, Ga.
CLARK HOWELL, Editor Atlanta Constitution, Atlanta, Ga.
J. LEE ETHEREDGE, Fertilizers, Augusta, Ga.

Price $10.00 and accrued dividend, and for each share of preferred stock subscribed for, there will be given a bonus of one-half share of common stock. In other words, the subscriber to 10 shares of preferred stock gets a bonus of 5 shares, non-assessable and full paid, common stock. Payment for the stock may be made in full, or at the option of the purchaser, as follows: 20 per cent. at the time of purchase, 20 per cent. in three months, and 10 per cent. each three months thereafter, with 7 per cent. interest on deferred payments. Interest on preferred stock will accrue from date of first payment.

The above information, while not guaranteed, was obtained from sources which we regard as reliable.

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THE MAYOR'S WORD FOR IT!

Hope, of a substantial nature, that the disgraceful condition of the Peachtree-Whitehall paving is soon to be relieved is offered by Mayor Asa G. Candler, who declares with meaning emphasis that the money **"must somehow"** be found with which to make the immediately necessary repairs.

"The condition of Whitehall-Peachtree streets is such as to **absolutely demand immediate repair,"** Mayor Candler says. "This can be done, to last a year or so, and at reasonable cost. **We must find the money somehow!"**

Mayor Candler is well known to be a man who would not say that this repair work "can be done" without knowing what he is talking about. And when he says that "we **must** find the money **somehow"** he means precisely what he says; and it is pretty certain that he has formulated his own conclusions as to the **"how."**

The street committee of council will meet this afternoon.

The city watches the result of its action in this matter with keen interest.

It is too bad, of course, that the entire thoroughfare—one of the most famous streets in America, and the main artery of Atlanta—cannot be entirely repaved, as it should be; but if it cannot be done now, then temporary repairs must suffice!

But **let us have the repair work begin without more loss of time!**

The mayor's positive statement quoted above comes as a rift in the cloud!

The mayor says it will be done!

That means that the work **will soon be under way.**

"BUYING A DEAD HORSE."

Recently Collier's Weekly carried the following editorial comment on Chicago's experience with "competition" in telephone service:

> In our issue of December 6, 1913, we noted editorially an interesting failure of public-utility regulation in Chicago. After years of investigation and rate making a useless "competing" telephone company was let in, failed to make a go of it, and had to be bought out, the loss thus saddled on the telephone business being so large as to outweigh all public gains from the rate cases. Late last year the state public utilities commission of Illinois finally got round to issuing an order in the matter of the sale. This order is rather a weasel-worded document since it specifies "limits," not prices; but the upshot would seem to be that the older established telephone interests are to pay $5,536,192 for property of which only $2,236,192 can be put on their books. The balance ($3,300,000) is a dead loss, a financial corpse for the accountants to bury. Included is a neat little $500,000 which the city will get as "compensation for the privilege and consent conferred." No doubt this will make a lot of people think that Chicago has gained by the affair. We have no powers of divination, and so are unable to say where this sizable deficiency of $3,300,000 will be made up; but it is real money, earned from telephone users and now being spent to salvage a piece of foolishness which Chicago did not have brains enough to prevent. That is a perfect instance of how not to do things.

Stated another way, Chicago taxpayers, once clamoring for "competition" in its telephone service, are now facing a loss of $3,300,000 for a **dead horse!**

If the lesson teaches anything, it is, undoubtedly, that, while "competition" may be "the life of trade," there are certain elements in modern public welfare better off without it, and that telephone service is one of them.

A competition telephone system in a city only adds to the burden of the firm or citizen whose business is such that means of telephonic communication with all subscribers to both or all telephone systems is imperative.

The ends of good and efficient telephone service can best be attained, not through the channels of competition, but through regulation.

One telephone system, with adequate legal regulation, is best for any city or community. Multiplicity of systems means only confusion and multiplicity of telephone bills!

THE RED CROSS PARADE.

One of the most inspiring sights witnessed in Atlanta in many a day was afforded yesterday in the Red Cross parade. It was a spectacle to make one's blood course faster; to make one more proud than ever that he is an American.

Marching through the main streets of the city were 5,000 of Atlanta's noble womanhood—marching under the banner of humanity!

The willingness to do for others; the love of home and country; the spirit of eagerness to serve the suffering and succor the distressed; self-sacrifice and human kindness were stamped upon every one of the 5,000 countenances.

What a cause for self-felicitation upon the part of Atlanta that its womanhood is of this character—as yesterday's parade afforded demonstration that it is!

The marching of those women was an object lesson in human duty and devotion to principle. They braved the chilling air of a winter's afternoon solely for the purpose of showing the world that our women are not afraid—that they are ever ready to answer the summons of humanity.

Atlanta may well be proud of its womanhood!

PACKING HOUSES.

The condition of not enough hogs for the packing plants in Georgia existing only a few years ago has now been reversed, so that the demand now is for more packing houses to accommodate the hogs.

The former maintained, too, in a day when packing plants in Georgia were few and far between.

Today, as pointed out in a communication from W. W. Croxton, general passenger agent of the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic railroad, printed elsewhere upon this page, the farmers of Georgia having responded so generally to the call of better farming and diversification, that condition is exactly reversed, and the packers are unable to handle the supply of hogs produced in the state, and the surplus is being shipped on the hoof to packers outside of Georgia. Added significance is given this also because the number of packing establishments has been constantly increasing year by year.

Just the other day, for instance, a corporation, composed, with the exception of one man, of Chicago capitalists, has been formed for the purpose of installing a packing plant near Rome, Ga.

This is gratifying, not so much in the specific instance itself as in presenting as it does concrete evidence of the interest capital of the north and east is manifesting in the possibilities of the south as a fruitful field for investment. And it also emphasizes the growing, and points to the future, importance of Georgia as a meat-producing state.

This corporation has applied for a charter, capitalized at $24,000, with privilege to increase this to $100,000 as development might require. It is the intention of the company to erect a large packing establishment and to operate a stock farm, stocked with blooded hogs and cattle, from which to partially supply the meat for curing in the plant.

That such business pays handsomely in Georgia, with returns constantly increasing, is evidenced by the records of each of such industrial establishments now in operation in the state.

Just a few days ago, for instance, the statement was made by the Waycross Packing company, Waycross, Ga., to the effect that during the fifty-eight operating days of its plant last preceding February 1, it had paid out to producers more than $1,200 a day—a total of $74,593.79—for hogs, cattle, sheep and goats, every cent of which went to the farmers round about; and the demand for the cured product has been far greater than the plant could supply.

"Waycross," said the news report—

> "is feeling in many ways the benefits of the plant, and as soon as Ware county begins to supply a greater per cent of the animals needed at the plant, naturally more of the money will be kept at home."

Doubtless the experience of the Waycross plant will be duplicated by that of the plant to be built at Rome, and the latter will prove as great a blessing to the farmers and the rural interests of Floyd county as the former has to those of Ware.

In fact, the success of every packing plant in the state has been such as to remove any element of hazard from such an investment. That of the Moultrie plant, in operation only about two years, has been phenomenal. The same is true of the White Provision company's plant—the pioneer of them all—and of the others in and near Atlanta. The success of the business in Georgia during the last few years has been so general—without a single failure—that the Rome project is only one of several similar ones either in prospect or in course of actual promotion. A noteworthy example of the latter is to be seen at Macon, where a large brewery is in course of conversion into a packing house.

The adaptability of Georgia—every county of the state—to just such an enterprise is patent, and the fact every day is receiving additional substantiation.

And it is exceedingly encouraging to note from day to day additional indications that capital of the north and the farmers of Georgia are becoming more and more alive to the opportunities here awaiting development

JUST FROM GEORGIA

By Frank L. Stanton



A Song on the Way.

I.

The sky bends black
In the lightning's track,
But why should a mortal sigh
When a rainbow—bright
As a beam of light
Is running 'round the sky?

II.

The hills today
Are ghosts in gray,
Where never a bird's song thrills,
But the old world dreams
Of glory-gleams
When it's Morning on the hills!

III.

O Life that waits
At Morning's gates
To read the dreams of Night,
Though black storms blow
'Tis thine to know
The blessedness of **Light!**

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Gentle Hint to Coon Hunters.

This lesson of the Golden Rule from a communication in The Table Rock (Neb.) Argus:

"To those residents of Table Rock who are in the habit of raccoon hunting on other people's property without permission: My dear friends, it is a poor rule that will not work both ways. For years we have patiently stood your trespassing and peace disturbances, but by your actions on recent nights our patience has reached its limit. Has it ever occurred to you, my friends, that we country folk have just as much right to come to town to hunt, trespass, etc., on your premises as you have on ours? Suppose we'd come tearing up the street in a rattling old car, tooting the horn and yelling, with hounds baying and shooting off guns and keep it up until 2 a. m., how many of you would put up with it for five minutes? Not one. Breaking into one's much-needed rest is hard on well people, let alone on the sick, nervous, old or the very young. My friends, please remember the Golden Rule and act accordingly."

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When Love Came A-Singing.

I.

World seemed only
A wilderness of woe,
For Love came a-singin'
An' the world didn't know!

II.

Never was a flower
By the wayside to blow,
For Love came a-singin'
An' the world didn't know.

III.

But—Light in the darkness!
All the stars above!
For Love came a-singin'
An' the world knew Love!

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A Prose-Poem Farewell.

(By a Billvillesque Singer.)

Mister John Barleycorn knows 'tain't a joke, with his steps gittin' feeble an' slow, for there's nobody home, an' the brown jug is broke, an' that's why he's fixin' to go! He don't know where he's goin', but he's on the way! No rye for the sowin' or reapin' today, but the price ain't too bitter for **that** chap to pay! He's made all the winter, when Life wanted **May,** an' so he's a-fixin' to go!

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A Rural Opinion.

I.

When a bird's in the blossoms,
When no frost is on its wing,
'Twill be time for the poets
To be tunin' up to sing.
But that 'ere singin' crowd
Ain't a-pipin' very loud,
For the farmer wants to plow 'em in the mornin'!

II.

When a bird's in the blossoms
An' the crows are in the corn,
It's then it is the music
Of the poet-chaps is born;
But I tell you, that 'ere crowd
Ain't a-hollerin' too loud,
For the farmer wants to plow 'em in the mornin'!

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"Make One More Gun for Them!"

Here's a good story on "The Martial Spirit," as told by The Kansas City Star:

"The fact that this country may be obliged to fight is having wonderful effect on some of our civil war veterans," said the landlord of the Petunia Tavern. "Almost any time you can see some of 'em stepping out livelier than they have done for many a day and snorting like wornout circus horses do at the sound of a brass band. Why, actually, old Dave Dodder, who has been so folded up that he looked like a question mark straightened right out and 'lowed that, by hickory, he wasn't too old to fight. And because he couldn't possibly enlist he dyed his goatee and got married."

Georgia Now Produces More Hogs Than Packing Houses In the State Can Handle

Editor Constitution: As information I invite attention to clipping from The Vienna News, published at Vienna, Ga., February 1, in which report is made that a carload of hogs was shipped from Dooly county to Nashville, Tenn.

It is a fact that the packing houses at present operating in Georgia have not been able to take care of all the hogs offered during the last four months. When we begin to ship live hogs to other states, this is certainly a sure indication that the farmers have rallied to the call for the production of live stock and diversified crops.

W. W. CROXTON,
General Passenger Agent.

Atlanta, Ga., February 10.

Carload of Hogs Shipped From Dooly.

(From The Vienna News.)

Ashley & Nesbitt, stock dealers, who have been here during the winter season conducting a sales stable, are now engaged in buying Dooly county hogs for market in Tennessee. They shipped their first carload to Nashville Monday over the A., B. & A. A goodly number of spectators were attracted to the corral near the track in which the animals were placed prior to being loaded for shipment.

The shipment consisted of 111 head and were made up of several different breeds. There were Durocs, Berkshires, Poland-Chinas, O. I. C. and mixed breeds, the weight varying from 100 to 380 pounds. The entire lot aggregated 17,500 pounds. The majority of the hogs were in splendid condition and brought their owners 8 cents per pound on their feet. The gentlemen who bought the hogs say there is no reason why Dooly hogs should not bring the highest market price. They state that the only defect in those that made up the first shipment is a softness of the meat, which can be easily corrected by the use of a strictly corn diet for ninety days previous to marketing. They also announce that this carload is only a beginning and that they will probably be in the market for a large part of Dooly's present surplus hog crop.

Home Marketing System Is Planned By J. J. Brown to Help the Farmers

Plans for a complete system of home marketing for all classes of farm produce and live stock are now being perfected by Commissioner of Agriculture J. J. Brown, who assumed the duties of his new office yesterday.

Mr. Brown has already selected a state marketing agent for this department, and at a conference he held Thursday with officials of the Southern Bell Telephone company and others he was tendered the unlimited cooperation of this organization.

The past year one department of the Southern Bell system has been devoted especially to working out a communicating system for this class of work, and the benefit of everything that department has devised has been put at Mr. Brown's disposal.

The plan means a direct and continuous avenue of communication between every farmer in Georgia and a representative of the department of agriculture, who in turn will be in constant direct touch with the department here, for the purpose of handling that end of the situation which has farm products for sale. On the other hand, the department will keep in touch with the wholesale, produce and manufacturing or packing houses of the state, the live stock dealers and representatives of outside houses who are seeking or will buy farm produce.

Through the co-operation tendered the department by the Southern Bell company, there will be several hundred people throughout the state directly connected with the movement to carry on a better and more resultful system of marketing every kind of farm product.

"For a good many of the diversified crops there are markets, but the farmer hasn't the access to them; he isn't in touch with them as he should be," said Mr. Brown. "For a good many more there are not the markets which have become necessary. We have got to get the farmer and the market in touch on the one hand, and create the marketing method or the market for those other crops on the other hand. In a word, we have got to devise some way to bring the farmer's doorstep and his market closer together."

HOW ATLANTA WAS GIVEN THE THREE NAMES IT HAS BORNE

The death of Mrs. Martha Lumpkin Compton has revived the story that has often been told about how Atlanta was named.

It is now definitely settled that when the city was named Marthasville the pioneers wished to honor the daughter of Governor Wilson Lumpkin. Prior to that time the town was known as Terminus. On December 23, 1843, by an act of the state legislature, the name was changed to Marthasville.

In 1847, when a new name was desired, the city was called Atlanta. How that name was chosen was told by the late Richard Peters in a letter which he wrote to W. R. Hanleiter on May 9, 1871. In that letter Mr. Peters said that he wrote to J. Edgar Thompson in 1845 and asked him to suggest a new name for the city. In reply Mr. Thompson wrote as follows:

"Eureka—Atlanta, the terminus of the Western and Atlantic railroad. Atlantic, masculine; Atlanta, feminine—a coined word—if you think it will suit, adopt it."

The name of Atlanta was adopted when a new charter was secured in 1848.

Mrs. Compton was given the name of Martha Atalanta by her father and this caused many to believe that the name of Atlanta was thus obtained. The town was named for her when called Marthasville, but not when it was afterwards called Atlanta.

APPOINTEES OF PRICE GIVEN WEEK'S RESPITE

Announcement, as nearly definite as it is possible, was made by Commissioner of Agriculture J. J. Brown yesterday that there will be no changes in the personnel of the commissioner's official staff before the middle or latter part of next week.

Commissioner Brown held a conference at 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon with Attorney General Clifford Walker, when he asked the attorney general for a written opinion as to the legal status of the commissioned employees of the department of agriculture, and the authority of the incoming commissioner over them—in other words, whether or not he has the right to remove incumbents whose terms have not expired, pending the beginning of the term for which Mr. Brown was elected.

The subordinate officials in question include the chief and all oil inspectors; fertilizer inspectors, the state chemist, the chief food inspector and the chief drugs inspector.

The assistant commissioner is not a commissioned officer of the department.

Attorney General Walker will render the opinion asked for, he promised, the latter part of next week, when Mr. Brown will immediately organize his force for the unexpired term of Mr. Price, to which he has been appointed by the governor, and which ends June 28, 1917.

In all probability several changes will be made in the office force and in the personnel of subdepartment heads after Commissioner Brown receives the attorney general's opinion.

It is also practically certain that several changes will be made in the corps of oil and fertilizer inspectors, should the attorney general's opinion authorize them.

Assistant Commissioner Cliff C. Clay, in all likelihood, will remain undisturbed at least for some time to come.

For the full term for which he was elected, beginning next June 28, it is known that Commissioner Brown expects to make many changes in the oil and fertilizer departments, despite the fact that Commissioner Price several weeks ago filled both staffs entirely for the full term of two years.

The out-going commissioner, J. D. Price, checked out Thursday morning, and his successor took over the office. Mr. Brown had a complete audit made of his predecessor's books, accounts and bank accounts, and they were found in perfect order.

NO INFANTILE PARALYSIS IN CITY, SAYS KENNEDY

Reports that there are many cases of infantile paralysis in the city, and that the city health department is aware of these and is withholding the information from the public, was denied Thursday night by Dr. J. P. Kennedy, city health officer. "One lady came to me today and said that she had heard a rumor that there were 300 cases of infantile paralysis in Atlanta," said Dr. Kennedy. "Such rumors are entirely unfounded. I do not know of a single case of infantile paralysis in Atlanta. All cases are required to be reported." Dr. Kennedy said that the rumors that the health officers were trying to keep the facts from the public were false, and that he wants the people to know that such rumors are without foundation.

Children's Home Directors Will Meet at Luncheon

A special luncheon meeting of the officers and directors of the Georgia Children's Home society will be held today at 1 p. m., at the Piedmont, with H. G. Hastings presiding, to add further impetus to the campaign to raise an additional $3,500 for this year's work.

Over $1,200 has already been raised and at the meeting today steps will be taken to get up the rest if possible within the next week.

SOUTHERN BUYS GIANT ENGINES FOR SERVICE

The Southern railway has received from the Baldwin Locomotive works, of Philadelphia, four unusually large and powerful locomotives, and these are doing work, preparatory to getting them in working order, at the Inman yards. They will operate on the Atlanta-Greenville run of the Southern's limited passenger trains, Nos. 37 and 38, the "New York and New Orleans Limited." The Southern has also placed orders for even heavier locomotives for freight service, fifty-five of these being of the Sante Fe type and twelve of the Mallet type.

MASHBURN APPOINTED CITY HUMANE OFFICER

W. J. Mashburn, mounted policeman on the Atlanta police force, has been chosen humane officer for the department, and will assume his duties in a few days.

The selection by the police board of Officer Mashburn was in entire accord, it is said, with the wishes of the Atlanta Humane society.

VETERANS ARE MADE VICTIMS OF "SHARKS" BY DELAY OF STATE

That needy Confederate veterans on the pension rolls of the state have been systematically preyed upon by speculators was brought out yesterday in a communication to the governor dealing with the subject by Pension Commissioner John W. Lindsey. In order to save the old soldiers from the clutches of these "loan sharks" who engulf a large portion of their little stipend from the state, the commissioner suggests that some arrangement be made for borrowing the money so that all the veterans may be paid at one time on January 1.

The pension speculators have every advantage, it is pointed out, as the law provides no guarantee against loss should the pensioner, to whom an advance has been made, die during the year before his pension is paid. Realizing that he is "handling a bad risk," the speculator usually makes his discount a very heavy one, such as the veteran would not think of accepting except for the fact that he is almost forced to by poverty.

Owing to the severity of the current winter and the destitution occasioned by it, it is said that the number of veterans who have been forced to discount their pensions has been enormously increased this year.

"Business Men's League" Suggested to Enforce Fire Protection in City Schools

Editor Constitution: It seemed as though I could hardly wait to reach a stenographer in order that I might send heartiest congratulations to you for the telling and adequate editorial in this morning's Constitution, on the burning of the Greenwood school.

Even though none of the pupils were seriously injured from the fire, still, judging from my own little son, who was one of the pupils of that school, I believe the shock and nervous strain will affect them for some time.

I wish that it was possible for me to become a member of a properly organized business men's league to enforce the cessation of this shameful condition in this city, which is so dear and fair to us, except for this blot.

Again thanking you for bringing such a vital subject before the people so forcibly, I beg to remain,

H. P. FERMANCE,
Manager F. W. Woolworth Co.

Atlanta, Ga., February 14, 1917.

Card of Thanks.

The following card thanking the principal and teachers of the Greenwood school for their efficiency in coping with a hazardous emergency, to the end that not a child was even injured in connection with the school fire, has been received from the Greenwood Parent-Teacher association, with the request that it be published:

Editor Constitution: Please publish the following card of thanks:

The members of Greenwood Parent-Teacher association desire to express their greatfulness to Almighty God, first, and to Miss Barrett, principal, and the teachers, for their cool-headedness and safe delivery of every child during the fire which threatened the entire building Tuesday morning, February 13.

MRS. A. N. WALDMAN, President.

Atlanta, Ga., February 14, 1917.

URGE MINIMUM RATE FOR PUBLIC SERVICE

Argument in the Savannah lighting and power rate case was completed before the state railroad commission late Thursday afternoon and the commission took the case under advisement for decision in the future. Two weeks were allowed for the filing of briefs.

The petition, which is the outgrowth of a rate-cutting warfare between the Savannah Electric company and the Savannah Lighting company, competitors in Savannah, presents to the commission the rather unusual legal question of whether or not the commission has the power to fix a minimum rate for a public service, and the corollary question of whether or not it is advisable for the commission to exercise such power in this case if it has the power.

The petition is brought by the Savannah Lighting company, which alleges that the practices of the Savannah Electric company in offering low rates is such that it can mean but destruction to one or the other companies and that Savannah would then be deprived of competition and reasonable rates and efficient service resultant therefrom.

Judge Samuel B. Adams represented the Savannah Lighting company; W. W. Osborne, the Savannah Electric company, and City Attorney R. J. Travis, the city of Savannah.

BUSINESS MEN LISTEN TO RED CROSS LEADER

A large audience of Atlanta business men was urged by H. J. Hill, national chairman of the membership bureau of the Red Cross, at a meeting held Thursday evening at the Hotel Ansley, to give their aid to this movement and to co-operate with the workers in the local campaign next week. Mr. Hill was pledged the aid of his hearers.

The speaker also told of the workings and needs of the national organization.

Judge Walter Colquitt also addressed the business men and urged them to follow the suggestions of Mr. Hill, speaking of the work and needs of the Red Cross.

Mr. Hill made a talk in the afternoon in front of the First Baptist church to the ladies who marched in the parade, just after they had disbanded. He will speak Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the mass meeting at the Auditorium in connection with the concert to be given by Clarence Eddy.

Wishing.

I.

Why should I be thus wishing?
I wish my paths could go
Where far gray fields are calling,
Call where the soft winds blow.
My fife is full of dreaming,
Any day-dreams make the song,
That thrills the roses blooming,
The verdant ways along.

II.

And I am always wishing—
So, wish that I could dream,
Back in the still, blue noontides,
Where radiant spaces gleam.
For, there the winds cull secrets,
The things that flowers know—
The loves that knew but dreaming,
Back in the Long Ago.

III.

I wish I could recall them,
The fragile wraith of things:
Could hear again the bird notes,
And swish of homing wings.
These all are dim, sweet echoes,
Blown from forgotten years;
The sad refrain of mem'ries,
That bring the balm of tears.

—OSSIAN D. GORMAN.

LITTLE LOCALS ABOUT THINGS OF CITY INTEREST

Complaining that the present depot is inadequate for the buisness conducted there, citizens of New England, Ga., Thursday prayed the state railroad commission for an order compelling the Alabama and Great Southern railroad to erect a new depot at the place.

Ad valorem taxes due since 1907 and amounting to approximately $12,000 are to be paid the state of Georgia by the Union Tank Line company, under a decision handed down by the Georgia supreme court Thursday. The court held that the rolling stock of this company is taxable just as is that of the Pullman company, which is upon a prorata basis of the mileage traversed by each car in this state.

Figures made public Thursday by James D. Price, retiring commissioner of agriculture, showed that for the month of January and the first fifteen days of February, 1,773,026 gallons of oil and 2,859,036 gallons of gasoline were inspected in Georgia, bringing to the state treasury a sum of $17,186.24, while sales of fertilizer tags for the same period brought to the treasury $34,174.78.

The Georgia supreme court Thursday handed down an opinion upholding Judge Ben Hill, of Fulton superior court, in granting a writ of habeas corpus to F. H. Hart, who was held by the Fulton county authorities as a fugitive from justice from the state of Tennessee, where he was wanted upon a charge of burglary. Hart contended that he was not a fugitive from justice, but that he was brought here in 1911 to serve a sentence in the United States penitentiary.

Cliff C. Clay, assistant commissioner of agriculture under ex-Commissioner James D. Price, and acting assistant under Commissioner J. J. Brown, was a gentleman of genial smiles and extraordinarily sunny disposition Friday. The reason for this exceptionally bright outlook upon life for Mr. Clay was the arrival at his home, 155 Sinclair avenue, of a fine 10¼-lb. boy. His name is Jim Price Clay.

John A. Ray, who has been an engineer on the Western and Atlantic railroad for about 30 years, is critically ill at Curtis' sanitarium at East Lake.

The Eagles' Drum and Bugle corps, which will go to Washington as the "Atlanta Drum Corps" for the presidential inauguration, with Atlanta's Loyal Legion, will hold a ball Wednesday evening, February 21, at the Grotto hall, corner Forsyth and East Mitchell streets, for the purpose of raising money for the trip. Tickets are now on sale. Ladies will be admitted free of charge.

Hardy Teat, one of the organizers of the local street railway union, said last night that their charter had been stolen from the union hall at 8½ Alabama street. Mr. Teat explained that the local union had kept the charter in hiding until Wednesday morning. He says it was stolen from the frame some time between Wednesday morning and Thursday night.

The colored branch of the Y. M. C. A. will conduct a meeting Sunday at 3:30 p. m. at Wheat Sreet Baptist church, J. K. Orr and Bishop R. A. Carter, of the sixth Episcopal district of the C. M. E. church, will be the principal speakers. Music will be furnished by the Y. M. C. A. quartet and the B. Y. P. U. of the Wheat Street church. Solo by Walter Paris. This meeting is known as the first of a series in the home stretch campaign for the completion of the new building now under construction.

RIALTO OPEN SUNDAY FOR WAR SUFFERERS

The Rialto theater will be open Sunday for the benefit of French war sufferers. Dr. F. E. May, in charge of the relief work, has arranged for an exceptional three-part program of splendid Pathe features.

The chief offering will be "The Warning," a three-part Pathe feature picture starring Creighton Hale and Ernest Maupin. The climax is splendidly worked up and the drama carries a convincing message. In addition to this there will be a fast-moving comedy, also a reel of Pathe news pictures.

Supreme Court of Georgia.

Judgments Affirmed.

Bank of Eton v. Owens et al., and vice versa; from Murray superior court—Judge Fite. C. N. King, W. E. Mann, for Bank of Eton. W. W. Sampler, M. C. Tarver, W. C. Martin, G. G. Glenn, contra.

Talley et al. v. Brown et al., trustees; from Walker—Judge Wright. W. P. McClatchey, W. M. Henry, for plaintiffs in error. O. N. Chambers, contra.

Gibbons et al. v. International Harvester Company of America; from Floyd—Judge Wright. M. B. Eubanks, for plaintiffs in error. Lipscomb & Willingham, contra.

Caldwell et al. v. Freeman, receiver; from Meriwether—Judge Revill. J. F. Hatchett, McLaughlin & Jones, for plaintiffs in error. N. F. Culpepper, contra.

Cooper v. Ricketson; from Decatur—Judge Cox. W. V. Custer, for plaintiff in error. Wilson & Bennett, Harrell & Wilson, contra.

Bennett v. Swafford; from Berrien—Judge Thomas. Hendricks, Mills & Hendricks, for plaintiff in error. W. D. Buie, contra.

McConnell v. Gregory; from Berrien—Judge Thomas. Hendricks, Mills & Hendricks, for plaintiff in error. J. A. Alexander, contra.

Collier v. Carter et al.; from Echols—Judge Thomas. J. W. Haygood, Eldridge Cutts, J. M. Bussell, for plaintiff in error. J. G. Cranford, E. K. Wilcox, contra.

Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company v. Williams; from Laurens—Judge Kent. H. W. Dent, Burch & Burch, for plaintiff in error. Williams & Flynt, contra.

English, guardian, v. English et al.; from Ware—Judge Summerall. F. V. Paradise, J. L. Sweat, for plaintiff in error. Parks & Reed, J. E. English, contra.

Reed et al. v. Warnock; from Bacon—Judge Summerall. A. H. Codington, D. M. Clark, for plaintiffs in error. W. W. Bennett, contra.

Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company v. Jackson et al.; from Ware—Judge Summerall. Wilson & Bennett, Bennet, Twitty & Reese, for plaintiff in error. Parks & Reed, Crawley, Redding & Crawley, contra.

Union Tank Line Company v. Wright, comptroller general; from Fulton—Judge Bell. King & Spalding, for plaintiff in error. Clifford Walker, attorney general, Mark Bolding, contra.

Coles, trustee, v. Bennett et al., executors, and vice versa; from Fulton—Judge Ellis. Lovick G. Fortson, for plaintiff in error. J. E. Mozley, H. B. Moss, contra.

Wright, insurance commissioner, v. Hamilton; from Fulton—Judge Ellis. Robert C. & Philip H. Alston, H. B. Riddell, for plaintiff in error. Burton Smith, Hines & Jordan, contra.

Hart v. Mangum, sheriff; from Fulton—Judge Hill. Troutman & Troutman, for plaintiff in error.

Maddox v. Jones, et al.; from Chatham—Judge Charlton. J. P. Dukes, H. G. Dukes, C. E. Alexander, for plaintiff in error. David C. Barrow, Herschel P. Cobb, contra.

Judgments Reversed.

Webb v. Thompson; from Milton superior court—Judge Patterson. E. H. Clay, J. Z. Foster, J. P. Brooke, for plaintiff in error. George F. Gober, G. B. Walker, W. I. Heyward, contra.

Tucker, administrator, v. Tucker et al.; from Whitfield—Judge Fite. W. C. Martin, M. C. Tarver, for plaintiff in error. Sam P. Maddox, W. E. Mann, George G. Glenn, contra.

Drew v. Drew; from Laurens—Judge Kent. M. H. Blackshear, for plaintiff in error. J. S. Adams, contra.

Roberts v. Atlanta Cemetery Association et al.; from Fulton—Judge Pendleton. E. M. & G. F. Mitchell, for plaintiff in error. Smith, Hammond & Smith, Mayson & Johnson, contra.

Megahee v. Hamilton, Megahee v. Hatcher; from McDuffie—Judge Hammond. J. B. Burnside, William H. Fleming, for plaintiff in error. John T. West, contra.

Miles et al. v. Grubbs; from Columbia—Judge Hammond. J. S. Watkins, W. H. Fleming, for plaintiff in error. John T. West, contra.

Williamson v. Anderson Cotton Company; from Jenkins—Judge Hammond. Dixon & Dixon, W. Van Tyler, for plaintiff in error. Thomas L. Hill, contra.

City of Waycross v. Tomberlin et al.; from Ware—Judge Summerall. A. B. Estes, J. S. Walker, C. L. Redding, W. J. Summerall, D. T. Deen, for plaintiff in error. Parks & Reed, Wilson & Bennett, contra.

BUSINESS LEADERS TO URGE REPAVING

Representatives of Five Influential Organizations Will Appear Today Before Street Committee.

The business interests of Atlanta will be well represented this afternoon at 3 o'clock when the street committee of council meets at the city hall.

Five hundred of the representative business men of the city are expected to be present and demand that Peachtree and Whitehall streets be paved.

These five hundred men will come from five of the strongest and most influential civic organizations in the city. They have been appealed to by their presidents to turn out and help in urging the committee to do something to save the city's reputation.

This action has been taken, it is stated, because there will come to Atlanta this year 27 big conventions which will bring over 50,000 visitors to the city.

What Will Be Shown.

It will be shown to the street committee of council that both Peachtree and Whitehall streets, in the very business center of the city, are full of holes that make traffic absolutely dangerous to human life.

It will be stated that when the 50,000 strangers come to Atlanta this year, many of them will be called upon to march down both Whitehall and Peachtree.

The gathering at the city hall Friday afternoon will mark an epoch in the upbuilding of Atlanta, it is said. The old "Atlanta spirit" will be there in full force and power.

The following letter was sent out by Ivan E. Allen, president of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce; W. W. Orr, president of the Retail Merchants' association; P. C. McDuffie, president of the Ad Men's club; E. J. Faxon, president of the convention bureau, and L. D. Hicks, president of the Rotary club:

The Call for the Rally.

Dear Fellow Citizen and Active Civic Body Worker: You are familiar with the terrible condition of Atlanta's pavements, the most horrible examples of which are Whitehall and Peachtree, the most heavily traversed, too.

They are now sadly spotted with holes and ruts which need signal buoys to protect the visitors who arrive daily.

City officials say: "We have no money to repave or even to repair." They must get it.

The county says: "We won't; it isn't up to us."

All of this in the face of our own people and the 50,000 visitors which will be here in the conventions of the next six months.

Think of the impressions which these convention visitors will carry away—and maybe spatterings from a mud bath.

We cannot afford to let our main streets stay as they are. The chief of construction even says they will be beyond repair in six months!

You are requested to appear before the street committee at 3 p. m. the 16th for the purpose of impressing the officials with the necessity of prompt action.

Please arrange to come and indicate by your presence that something must be done to remedy this serious and intolerant state of our main thoroughfares.

Each letter bore the following caption:

"Demand the repair of Peachtree and Whitehall streets at once. Time, Friday, 3 p. m. Place, city hall, street committee."

MEASURE TO BACK STATES' DRY LAWS

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be mailed into the dry states. To prevent prosecution of innocent persons the measure explicitly states that "if the publisher of any newspaper or other publication, or the agent of such publication or if any dealer in such liquors or his agent shall knowingly" cause liquor advertisements to be mailed in violation of the proposed law, he shall be guilty of violating the law.

Representative Randall, of California, announced the passage of the Jones amendment in the house late today and gave notice that he would ask the house to concur in the amendment when the bill is returned from the senate.

Webb Resolution Reported.

The Webb resolution proposing a national prohibition constitutional amendment was reported to the house today with a majority committee report in its favor and a minority report opposing it. Democratic Leader Kitchin said it would be taken up in the house within a week. He predicted it would pass by the necessary two-thirds, but probably would not be acted upon in the senate before adjournment of congress March 4.

The majority report declared that inasmuch as more than 60 per cent of the population of the United States lives in dry territory it is incumbent upon congress to submit the question of national prohibition to the states.

"Leaving out of consideration the merits of the prohibition policy of dealing with the alcoholic liquor traffic," said the report, "when more than half of the states in the union have declared in favor of prohibition; when 85 per cent of the territory of the United States has outlawed the saloon, and more than 60 per cent of the population live in such territory; and when approximately 10,000,000 of our people residing in all sections of the union have petitioned directly for the passage of this resolution, your committee is of the opinion and feels that it is incumbent upon the congress to submit the issue to the states.

"If it is not desired, 13 states of the union can prevent its adoption; but if, on the other hand, 36 states desire such change, they should have the right to make it."

Minority Report.

The minority report sets forth six objections to the resolution.

They were that: "It does not provide for a date of submission to all states; it would not prohibit personal consumption of liquor; it would interfere with the police powers of the states; it would permit the confiscation of property without compensation; the general governmental effect of national prohibition would be bad; it would raise a serious revenue question."

Signers of the minority report were Representatives Igoe and Dyer, Missouri; Graham, Pennsylvania; Steele, Pennsylvania; Danforth and Dale, New York, and Gard, Ohio.

The Webb amendment would prohibit the manufacturing, transportation, importation and sale of alcoholic liquor for beverage purposes.

The majority report was signed only by Representative Carlin, but he represented Representatives Webb, North Carolina; Thomas, Kentucky; Taggart, Kansas; William Eliza Williams, Illinois; Whaley, South Carolina; Caraway, Arkansas; Neely, West Virginia; Walker, Georgia; Volstead, Minnesota; Nelson, Wisconsin; Morgan, Oklahoma; Chandler, New York, and Walsh, Massachusetts.

Four democrats and three republicans signed the minority report; nine democrats and five republicans' names were on the majority report.

FELDER SAYS HOUSE WILL PASS BILL.

Washington, February 15.—(Special.) The senate this afternoon adopted the Bankhead amendment excluding from the United States mails going into prohibition territory all advertisments, letters, circulars and applications of every character for liquor orders. Thomas B. Felder, of Atlanta, who has been here leading the crusading in behalf of this legislation, expressed his unbounded joy and delight at the outcome of the balloting. He says there is not the least doubt of its adoption by the house.

"In my judgment," he said, "this legislation will go further in protecting the homes of the people of Georgia from the ravages of the liquor traffic than any other single piece of legislation ever enacted by congress or that ever will be enacted."

Upon leaving the capitol Mr. Felder wired the good news to his associates on the executive committee of the Georgia dry federation, namely: W. Woods White, E. C. Callaway, W. S. Witham, John J. Egan, Bolling Jones and H. Y. McCord.

The legislation will prevent the circularization of homes in Georgia by liquor houses outside the state. It will help curtail the business of the country express office, which is now the most profitable adjunct of the mail order houses. It will prevent newspapers which still continue to accept liquor ads from being allowed to circulate in territory now legally dry.

Senator Hoke Smith supported the Bankhead amendment. Senator Hardwick was detained at home by an attack of the grippe and did not vote.

MINNESOTA WILL VOTE ON STATE-WIDE DRY LAW

St. Paul, February 15.—The Minnesota senate today passed the house bill submitting to the people a proposed constitutional amendment for statewide prohibition at the 1918 election. July 1, 1920, is fixed for the amendment to become effective, in case of adoption.

WOMEN IN BIG PARADE FOR RED CROSS CAUSE

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executive committee, Mrs. Warren Candler, Mrs. Victor Cleuls, Mrs. Linton Hopkins, Mrs. Gordon-Smith, Mrs. W. A. Colquitt, Mrs. L. D. Hicks, Mrs. Russell Bridges, Mrs. Ernest Dallis, Miss Esther Smith, Miss Elizabeth Blanc and Miss Lamar Slaton.

Behind the marshal and her aides came the Georgia Tech band playing patriotic airs. Other band organizations were the Georgia Military academy band and the Commercial High school drum corps. The streets were cleared and no obstruction blocked the path of march, even all trolley cars having left Peachtree and Whitehall streets before the parade moved from Whitehall street and Trinity avenue, where it was assembled.

Mrs. Arkwright and her aides received valuable assistance from Major J. H. Cochran, of Adjutant General Nash's staff, and Lieutenants J. B. Suttles and J. J. Rogers, home on leave from service at the border with the Georgia militia. No difficulty was encountered in getting the march under way, and there was no delay once it was launched.

W. C. T. U. Represented.

Included in line were representations from the Women's Christian Temperance union, led by Mrs. H. H. Tucker, each member wearing a tiny white bow, the symbol of the W. C. T. U. order. The nurses from St. Joseph's hospital, under direction of Misses Clara Connery and Miss Ruby Allen, marched ahead of a body of nurses from Wesley Memorial hospital, led by Miss Alberta Dozier.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy, led by Mrs. T. T. Stephens; the History class, led by Mrs. James H. Gilbert; the Parent-Teacher association, led by Mrs. R. M. Walker; the Circle of Mystery, led by Mrs. H. A. Talley; Sheltering Arms' sponsors, led by the president, Mrs. Bolling H. Jones; Atlanta Woman's club, led by Mrs. J. N. McEachern; Cox college and Agnes Scott girls, Inman Park Girls' club, led by Mrs. S. C. Dobbs, the president, were also listed in the line.

The Decatur Campfire Girls, in costume, were led by Mrs. W. A. Gosnell. They marched near the division of M. Rich salesgirls. The Girls' high school contributed 400 girls and young women and a large number of teachers. Decatur and DeKalb county were represented by hundreds of girls and women.

Huge banners appealing to the patriotism of Atlantans and urging enlistment in the Red Cross corps, together with a huge red cross, were carried aloft by hundreds of the girls. The banners, viewed at a distance, gave the effect of an immense number of floats moving in march time up Peachtree street.

The ladies here for the convention of the Builders' exchange from Reading, Penn., and Detroit, recognizing the beauty and importance of the Red Cross parade, and not being permitted to join the parade, though invited, because of a previous engagement, on Thursday afternoon raised thirty-seven dollars for the benefit of the Red Cross workers.

The money was sent to the local Red Cross committee.

Mrs. Arkwright Happy.

"It was only what I knew Atlanta women would do when called upon to prove their love of country," said Mrs. Preston Arkwright.

"No city of its size in the country could have made a more beautiful demonstration.

"It proved the value of our women, as the real helpmates in any undertaking and most of all in that service to our country.

"Women are always the soldiers at home in war, and can anyone doubt their tests and trials in the wars of the past and those of the present? They will continue to be the courageous spirits at home in any crisis that comes, and it is to unite them in spirit everywhere that the National Red Cross society is making.

"I feel convinced that Atlanta's unit of Red Cross women will more than do their part in the present membership campaign."

Atlanta Workers Talk.

"We have been much encouraged by the increase in membership among the women of Atlanta in the last few days," said Mrs. Spencer Atkinson, chairman of the membership committee.

"The demonstration of patriotism which the parade bespoke this afternoon, proves the willingness of our women to serve their country in the way they can—that is by joining the Red Cross, and giving to the active body of the organization the great moral support the organization stands for."

"We could not ask for more ardent support than we are getting in our membership campaign," said Mrs. Richard Johnston, vice president of the organization.

"No other than the highest patriotic motive could have assembled the women who marched in the parade yesterday. It was a great demonstration, and one that carried with it a psychological force—a national expression from the women of the south of incalculable influence. In the faces of the women who participated in the parade and who are giving their every moment to the work of membership in the Red Cross one can recognize their sacred inheritance from their mothers and grandmothers of the confederacy."

Schedule Changes Suburban Trains

Effective Sunday, February 18, suburban train No. 101 will leave Jonesboro 5:15 a. m. instead of 5:05 a. m., arrive Atlanta 6:15 a. m. instead of 6:05 a. m. No. 102 leaves Atlanta 6:20 a. m., arrives Jonesboro 7:15 a. m. No. 103 leaves Jonesboro 7:25 a. m., arrives Atlanta 8:25 a. m. Other schedules remain unchanged.

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TRUE VALUES

ONE KILLED, ONE HURT, AS SCAFFOLDING FALLS

John A. Mann Dies on Way to Hospital, and W. C. Strickland Painfully Injured.

John A. Mann, of 1420 Marietta street, an employee of the Seaboard shops, was killed, and H. C. Strickland, also an employee at the Seaboard shops, was painfully injured Thursday afternoon when a scaffolding, on which they were standing, while doing some work at the shops, gave way and the two men fell to the ground.

Mann and Strickland were placed on a train and brought to the Forsyth street underpass, where the ambulance of Greenberg & Bond met them. Mann had died on the way, while Strickland was carried to the Atlanta hospital. He will recover.

Mann is survived by his wife and five children, three girls, Muril, Edith and Virginia, and two boys, John A. Mann, Jr., and Hugh Mann; one brother, Dr. H. A. Mann, of Mandilla Springs, Md., and one sister, Mrs. Ernest Childress, of Richmond, Va. He was 35 years old.

The body was removed to the chapel of Greenberg & Bond. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

GREAT MEMORIAL PLANS OUTLINED

Atlanta to Be Asked to Raise $100,000 as Share for First Group of Figures on Stone Mountain.

Atlanta will be called upon to raise approximately $100,000 for her share of the expense of the execution of the first group of figures in the great Confederate memorial which is to be carved in the face of Stone Mountain by Gutzon Borglum, the sculptor, if plans of finance materialize as discussed at a dinner tendered to Mr. Borglum at the Capital City club Thursday night.

The realization of the entire memorial scheme, included the entire group of figures, the hall of archives to be cut out of the solid base of the mountain and the improvement of the park grounds opposite the site of the memorial, will cost in the neighborhood of $1,500,000, according to estimates by Mr. Borglum.

This amount, in the course of time, he believes can be raised. It is not necessary, however, that this entire amount be available at once, he said, but for the purpose of completing the first group of the figures, comprising equestrian figures of eleven great Confederate commanders, $250,000 is needed. Of this amount some $60,000 will be needed within the next year, if work is to start at once, said Mr. Borglum. He stated that if Atlanta will pledge $100,000 he is in position to say that the remainder of the sum will be forthcoming.

Plans Practically Completed.

Mr. Borglum has practically completed all his plans preliminary to actual work upon the face of the mountain. The face of the mountain has been cleared of debris; the survey of the mountainside will be completed next week; Mr. Borglum has completed sketches and models of the memorials and the figures of it to such an extent that should he die within the next six months the work would be in shape so that it could be carried out as already planned.

Practically every detail preliminary to the work is completed with the exception of the financing of the idea. Mr. Borglum states of Atlanta might that he has every assurance that with the right sort of an organization and the proper sort of co-operation on the part of Atlanta the financing of this stupendous undertaking can be accomplished. He stated that there are many men of means who have expressed their willingness to contribute to the memorial as soon as it is shown that it will actually be accomplished.

The promise of such men as Mayor Asa G. Candler, Captain James W. English and others of Atlanta at the dinner Thursday night to aid in raising Atlanta's part of the fund indicates that Atlanta's share will be raised.

Mr. Borglum believes that the carving of this first group of figures will lend a tremendous impetus to the work and the interest in the work. This interest he characterized as not merely southern but national.

Urges Legislative Action.

Another suggestion from Mr. Borglum was that the Georgia general assembly make an appropriation of $25,000 or $50,000 toward the memorial. He stated in this connection that, if Georgia will take the lead in making such an appropriation, he already has the assurance that several other southern states will make similar appropriations and that he believes eventually, all southern states will aid by appropriations.

Mr. Borglum also suggested that committees from the several southern states express the preferences of these states for the location of figure in prominent places in the several groups of the memorial.

Mr. Borglum illustrated his statement of the status of the work by a great picture of Stone Mountain and several sketches giving an idea of the entire memorial and of certain details of the memorial.

Th group which Mr. Borglum proposes to begin work on as soon as the necessary money for carrying on the work can be raised, comprises eleven equestrian figures of confederate leaders. These figures will be about 48 feet in height and the group will be about 400 feet long.

Addresses were made by several.

The dinner was tendered to Mr. Borglum by Charles J. Metz, Forrest Adair and S. H. Venable. Besides Mr. Borglum and the hosts, the following were present:

Dr. J. N. Ellis, C. F. Naegele, G. F. Willis, General A. J. West, Asa G. Candler, Hugh Dorsey, R. C. Eve, M. R. McClatchey, Ivan E. Allan, C. J. Haden, H. G. Hastings, James W. English, W. T. Newman, Walter G. Cooper, Clark Howell, John S. Cohen, James E. Nevin, L. D. Hicks, Hunt Chipley and Charles I. Ryan.

Gen. von Ludendorff Now Ruling Spirit In Kaiser's Group

He Dislikes Americans and Has Contempt for Their Military Strength—Teutons Lack Man-Power.

Paris, February 15.—Americans arriving here today from Berlin who were in a position to see what was taking place behind the screen regard General von Ludendorff, the first quartermaster general of the German imperial army, as the most vital person in the small group surrounding Emperor William, responsible for the German policy.

General von Ludendorff, the Americans say, appears to be the brain that conceives the military plans, and his immense influence in the entourage of the German emperor gives him a voice in purely political and foreign policies.

Americans whose business in Berlin was to study the springs of action of the German government, say they know that General von Ludendorff dislikes Americans and has contempt for their military strength; that is, while aware of their potentialities, the German quartermaster general believes the present war will be finished before the United States could get into action.

The conviction in the group around the emperor appears to be that the submarine war can be successful against England within three months. Consequently, it will be used for all it is worth.

The military situation in Germany, according to the same source of information, is regarded as beginning to be affected by the exhaustion of manpower.

The German losses in dead, officially placed by the last public announcements as beyond one million officers and men, is, according to cautious estimates, 300,000 or 400,000 beyond that figure. The number of permanently disabled among the wounded probably will bring the irreparable losses considerably beyond the 2,000,000 mark.

The real reason for the deportation of Belgians, the American arrivals say, appears to be that General von Ludendorff's plans preconceived the retirement from the great part of France and Belgium to shorter lines if forced to do so by the entente offensive this year.

AGED WOMAN DIES OF BURNS RECEIVED AT HOME RECENTLY

Mrs. S. R. Pylant, 59 years old, died at 11:30 o'clock Thursday night at her residence, 656 Capitol avenue, following burns received about two weeks ago in a room of the home.

Mrs. Pylant was standing before an open grate, and her door flew open, letting in a draft of wind which blew her skirt into the flame, causing it to catch fire. She was badly burned, and was carried to the Grady hospital.

She is survived by two sons, J. A. and H. R. Pylant, and six daughters, Mrs. C. S. Brooks, Mrs. H. L. Durham, of Camak, Ga.; Mrs. J. A. Johnson, of Thomson, Ga., and Misses Gladys, Clyde and Clara Pylant. The body was removed to the chapel of Harry G. Poole.

CARROLL COUNTY IS READY FOR HIGHWAY

Villa Rica, Ga., February 15.—(Special.)—Villa Rica and Carroll county form one of the most enthusiastic units in the work of erection and perfection of the Bankhead highway, judging from the crowd which recently met at the county house here and lined matters up for the proposed work.

Dr. B. C. Powell was elected president and J. Henry Pope secretary of the Carroll county organization. Committees to properly handle all matters pertaining to the highway were appointed.

MELDRIM WILL SUCCEED CHARLTON, SAYS REPORT

Governor Harris Is Expected to Announce the Appointment This Morning.

Governor Nat E. Harris is expected Friday morning to appoint General Peter W. Meldrim, of Savannah, as judge of Chatham superior court, to succeed the late Judge Walter G. Charlton.

The governor has had under consideration for several days the names of W. B. Stubbs, of Savannah, and of General Meldrim, whose friends have besieged the governor.

The governor stated Thursday night that he is and has been inclined to appoint General Meldrim, on accoutn of his life-long friendship and on account of the high esteem in which he holds him as a man and a lawyer, and that he will probably make this appointment Friday morning.

Governor Harris stated that a report from Savannah to the effect that he had already appointed General Meldrim was in error, and that it probably grew out of the fact that he had discussed the appointment with General Meldrim by long-distance telephone.

MORTUARY

Mrs. Kate Lee.

Mrs. Kate Lee, 87 years old, died at 6:30 o'clock Thursday evening at the residence of Mrs. Lydia Hollingsworth, 42 East Baker street. She is survived by four nieces, Mrs. N. N. Humphries, of Augusta; Mrs. R. H. Reed, Mrs. S. S. Shepard, and Mrs. A. B. F. Veal, of Stone Mountain, and one nephew, F. R. Winningham. The body was removed to the chapel of H. M. Patterson & Son.

Mrs. F. T. Carmichael.

Mrs. F. T. Carmichael, 45 years old, died at 6 o'clock Thursday evening at the residence, 451 West Tenth street. She is survived by two brothers, James and John Carmichael, and three daughters, Mrs. A. W. Wofford, Mrs. R. E. Eton and Mrs. Emma Nelms. The body was removed to the chapel of Harry G. Poole.

Jack Brooks III., Brooksville.

Griffin, Ga., February 15.—(Special.) Jack Brooks III., 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brooks, Jr., died at the Brooks home in Brooksville, Fla., Wednesday of heart trouble. The infant was a grandson of J. C. Brooks, a prominent business man of Griffin, and will be buried here next Friday.

Mrs. Cordelia Hudgins.

Mrs. Cordelia Hudgins, 46 years old, of 93 Greensferry avenue, died at a private hospital at 7 o'clock Thursday evening. She is survived by her husband, J. B. Hudgins, and four children. The body was removed to the chapel of Harry G. Poole.

Charles R. Kiker.

Charles R. Kiker, 72 years old, died Thursday afternoon at the residence, 141 Greenwood avenue. He is survived by two sons, W. L. and C. R. Kiker. The body was removed to the chapel of A. O. & Roy Donehoo.

William Tatum.

William Tatum, 29 years old, died at 10 o'clock Thursday night at a private hospital. He is survived by one brother and two sisters. The body was removed to the chapel of A. O. & Roy Donehoo.

D. A. Robinson.

D. A. Robinson, 32 years old, of 11 East Point avenue, East Point, died at 8:30 o'clock Thursday evening. He is survived by his wife. The body was removed to the chapel of H. M. Patterson & Son.

OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY OF SINKING OF MAINE

Washington, February 15.—The nineteenth anniversary of the sinking of the battleship Maine in Havana harbor was observed here today by the decorating of graves of the ship's dead sailors at Arlington national cemetery and exercises by patriotic military organizations.

Spanish war veterans held services at Fort Myer, with the Cuban minister, Carlos Manuel de Cespedes, and Commander-in-Chief Daniel V. Chisholm among the speakers.

See the famcus Washington Square Players, of N. Y., at the Atlanta tonight in five comedies and dramas.



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REFORMS ARE URGED IN SCHOOL SYSTEM

Fifth Warders Want Superintendent Named by People and School Commission of Three Members.

A school bond issue, the dividing of the city into school districts, the creation of a public school commission of three members, the abolishing of the board of education and the election of the school superintendent by the people were strongly advocated at a meeting of citizens in the Fifth ward last evening.

The proposed changes were made the keynote of the meeting by Attorney Murphy M. Holloway, who had been extended a special invitation to talk about the schools.

A committee consisting of School Commissioner Burton and Councilman Johnson, was appointed to investigate why pupils in the Girls' Commercial High school were being taxed $1.75 for writing paper.

The first speaker was W. Zode Smith, superintendent of the waterworks department. Mr. Smith told why a bond issue was necessary to get what the city needed to keep up a good supply of water.

Mr. Holloway said, in advocating a school bond issue:

"First, I believe that the city should be divided into permanently established school districts, both with particular reference to the school property now held by the city and with reference to population. When this is done we will then be in position to determine the amount of bond issue necessary to properly equip our public school system. As the next step in this plan, I believe we should have a new form of public school government, which, in my judgment, can be brought about only by abolishing our present board of education and creating in lieu thereof a public school commission to be composed of three; one of whom shall be superintendent of public schools and chairman ex-officio of the school commission, and who shall be elected by a vote of the people."

Mr. Holloway advocated an increase in the tax rate in order to take care of a bond issue, but he only wanted the increase for the life of the bond issue and to be applied to that purpose.

Mr. Holloway was followed by Councilman William H. Johnson, who made a talk on the needs of the fifth ward.

The meeting was held at the English Avenue school under the auspices of the Fifth Ward Improvement club.

1 KILLED AND 8 INJURED WHEN MILL WALL FALLS

Spartanburg, S. C., February 15.—Mrs. Jeff Phillips was killed and eight other persons were injured, none fatally, when a wall in the Fairmont cotton mills, 8 miles from here, collapsed early today. The bursting of the flume carrying water from the dam to the water wheel is believed to have been the cause.

YOU'RE BILIOUS! CLEAN LIVER AND BOWELS TONIGHT

Don't stay headachy, sick, or have bad breath and sour stomach.

Wake up feeling fine! Best laxative for men, women and children.



Enjoy life! Remove the liver and bowel poison which is keeping your head dizzy, your tongue coated, breath offensive, and stomach sour. Don't stay bilious, sick, headachy, constipated and full of cold. Why don't you get a box of Cascarets from the drug store and eat one or two tonight and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. You will wake up feeling fit and fine. Cascarets never gripe or sicken like salts, pills and calomel. They act so gently that you hardly realize you have taken a cathartic. Mothers should give cross, sick, bilious or feverish children a whole Cascaret any time—they act thoroughly and are harmless.

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Mayor Candler's Position on Taxation

"If the man with the $1,000,000 building should rightly pay to the city $7,500 per annum, it does not alter either the loss to the city or the injustice to the man with the $3,000 home, because the man with the $1,000,000 building annually gives his check for $3,750, while the man with the little home pays only $22.50."

Political Debts and the Bench

"Political debts should not be paid by the appointment of men to the Federal Bench. The truth is, that when a man possesses political power sufficiently great to put a politician under a political debt to him, the possession of that power is usually the clearest evidence of the unfitness of the man himself for a place upon the Bench."

The Coming of Billy Sunday

"The secret of the man's success is this: He forgets self. The power is Christ. A man willing to be used is shaking and winning America for God."

THE SILENT CHURCH

"How do you explain it?

"Prior to the outbreak of the war in Europe, no organized church in any of the countries involved was heard to protest against the steps which were leading inevitably to war."

"'God has said, 'Thou shalt not kill.'

"The Church should speak."

The Attack on Coca-Cola

"One of the most difficult things in the world is to see a man make great profits without suspecting him, or the article through which he makes his profit, of evil. Many of us find it almost impossible to believe that God can bless a man with wealth."

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DR. NORRIS IS HERE FOR INVESTIGATION OF TABERNACLE CALL

Whether or not Dr. J. Frank Norris, of Fort Worth, Texas, is to accept the call of the Tabernacle Baptist church is still an undecided matter. Dr. Norris reached Atlanta Thursday morning for the sole purpose of investigating conditions in this city and in the church and his decision will soon follow, it is believed.

Thursday night Dr. Norris addressed the members of the Tabernacle at a supper tendered him at the church and at which representatives of many Atlanta churches of other denominations were present. He was given a hearty welcome and the attitude of Atlanta and the Tabernacle was made plain to him in a series of addresses on the parts of many other ministers. Dr. Norris will make two addresses at the church, or rather hold two services there Sunday.

The meeting Thursday night was presided over by Dr. Joseph Broughton, one of the leading workers in the efforts of the local church to secure the services of the far-famed pastor of Fort Worth. There will be another meeting tonight at which the men of the Tabernacle will be present and again Dr. Norris will be urged to accept the pastorate.

Dr. Norris will remain in Atlanta through Monday, leaving Monday night for Knoxville for a short visit with Dr. Len G. Broughton, former pastor of the Tabernacle.

AMUSEMENTS

ATLANTA — TONIGHT 8:15.
Saturday Matinee and Night.
The Treat of the Year—The
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Nights 25c to $2; Matinee 25c to $1.50.

Afternoon 2:30 — FORSYTH — Evening 8:30
KEITH VAUDEVILLE
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Classical Dancer
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WALTER BROWER
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Polite Vaudeville
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Direction Jake Wells.
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"MIMIC WORLD,"
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One Solid Hour Mirth, Melody.
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ODEON
Direction MR. JAKE WELLS
Performances:
11:00 a. m., 12:30, 2:00, 3:30, 5:00, 7:30, 8:00, 9:30 p. m.
TODAY and SATURDAY
William S. Hart
—in—
"The Gun Fighter"
There has never been a production in which his gripping personality has had more sway than in "The Gun Fighter." It is full of hard riding, hard living and reckless daredevilry. A gasp a minute.

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TODAY AND SATURDAY
CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG
--- and ---
WILTON LACKAYE
In the Original Stage Adaption
Of Du Maurier's Stage Success of Two Continents
"TRILBY"

COBB COUNTY LOSES TWO MEN TO THOMAS

Marietta, Ga., February 15.—(Special.)—P. H. Randall, until a few weeks ago for nine years road commissioner of Cobb county, has accepted the road commissionership of Thomas county at a salary of $150 a month, which is in excess of his former salary here.

Mr. Randall is the second employee of Cobb county to be engaged since the first of the year by Thomas county, both at increased salaries. A few weeks ago W. D. Hasty, farm demonstrator, resigned, and immediately accepted a similar office in Thomas county.

GEORGIA MILITIAMAN DIES IN BORDER CITY

Hamilton, Ga., February 15.—(Special.)—Word has been wired here from boys on the border that Charles Davis, son of Frank Davis, of this place, is dead and that Lovelace Ammons, also from this place, is seriously sick. Pneumonia, measles and the high altitude are attributed as the cause of the illnesses.

The boys recently enlisted in Columbus.

SEABOARD CONDUCTOR BURIED IN AMERICUS

Americus, Ga., February 15.—(Special.)—The funeral of George W. Poole, age 56, was held this morning, with Rev. Alex D. Kendricks and Dr. Lansing Burrows officiating. The deceased had been a conductor of the Seaboard Air Line railway for almost 30 years and was a member of the O. R. C., the Masons and the First Baptist church. Surviving are a widow and four sons, besides several sisters and brothers.

EASTMAN SCHOOL SUPT. TENDERS RESIGNATION

Eastman, Ga., February 15.—(Special.)—N. E. Hurst, for the past eight years superintendent of the Eastman public schools, has tendered his resignation to the board of education to take effect tomorrow. He resigned in order that he might give his attention to a device patented by him which he has succeeded in launching. T. L. Sappington, the principal of the high school, was elected to succeed him.

HUNGRY CHILD EXILES WELCOMED TO HOLLAND

Roozendall, Holland, February 15.—(Via London.)—The first party of children from the occupied portion of France, numbering 250, arrived here today. They came chiefly from Lille and Lens, not far from the fighting line. The children were warmly welcomed by the Franco-Dutch committee. Their ages ranged from 6 to 14 years. They bore evident signs of having suffered want and hardships and all told of scarcity of food and lack of milk; bread and meat. The children will be distributed to seven Dutch towns, where they will remain until the end of the war.

The arrival of 2,500 more children is expected shortly.

Rumored Embargo by Britain Causes Drop in Future Cotton

Early Break Occurs in Markets Following Fear of Temporary Embargo—Rumor That Germany Had Declared War on United States Has Similar Effect in New Orleans.

RANGE IN NEW YORK COTTON.

	Open	High	Low	Last Sale	Close.	Prev. Close.
Mar..	15.92	16.07	15.75	.....	15.86	16.08
May .	16.00	16.20	15.84	.....	15.96	16.20
July.	16.03	16.25	15.88	.....	15.99	16.25
Oct. .	15.55	15.80	15.49	.....	15.61	15.77
Dec. .	15.69	15.90	15.61	.....	15.75	15.89

RANGE IN NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

	Open	High	Low	Last Sale	Close.	Prev. Close.
Mar..	15.55	15.82	15.45	.....	15.54	15.82
May .	15.64	15.80	15.44	.....	15.52	15.80
July.	15.65	15.87	15.46	.....	15.55	15.83
Oct. .	15.08	15.27	15.03	.....	15.12	15.28
Dec. .	15.27	15.44	15.42	.....	15.25	15.42

New York, February 15.—Rumors that the British government would place a temporary embargo on imports of all kinds except ammunition and foodstuffs, served to unsettle sentiment in the cotton market today. After selling at 16.20 early, May contracts broke to 15.84, or 36 points net lower, and closed at 15.96, with the general list closing steady at a net decline of 13 to 26 points.

The market opened at a decline of 19 to 25 points in response to lower cables and a renewal of yesterday's scattered selling. Houses with Liverpool connections were good buyers, however, while spot houses were buyers of March against sales of later deliveries, suggesting that delays in shipments from the south were increasing the value of the local stocks.

There were also buying on reports that unfavorable weather was delaying new crop preparations, and the market rallied to about last night's closing figures during the middle of the morning.

March contracts sold up from 15.85 to 16.07 and October from 15.55 to 15.80, making a net advance of 3 points on the active new crop delivery.

Demand became less active after the close abroad, however, and prices here turned easier on apprehensions that congested transportation facilities would check distribution, and the rumors that the British government was placing increased restrictions on imports. There were also rumors that Great Britain had prohibited speculative transactions in cotton futures except for the evening-up of old trades. These rumors were colored to some extent by private cables reporting that the Liverpool market had been influenced by further restrictions on trading. Offerings were not particularly heavy, but there was very little support around the ring, and the market broke to 15.75 for March and 15.49 for October, or about 28 to 37 points net lower during the late trading. Prices then steadied on the large exports for the day and covering with the close showing rallies of 10 to 12 points from the lowest.

Spot cotton quiet; middling 15.85.

New Orleans Down 16 to 28 Points.

New Orleans, February 15.—The cotton market was a prey to unfavorable rumors today, most of which appeared to have only slight foundation in fact. Brokers generally considered that the gossip of the day had an effect all out of proportion to its value. Thus, in the early trading there was a rumor that Germany had declared war on this country; later on, reports were circulated that England had prohibited trading in cotton futures. At the lowest of the session prices were 25 to 37 points under yesterday's close. Last prices were at a net loss of 16 to 28 points.

Poor cables and uneasiness over international politics opened the market at lower levels, prices losing about $1 a bale in the early trading. The rumor regarding war increased the uneasiness. Around the middle of the morning the market steadied when it was found that the war rumor was without truth, but the period of steadiness did not last long after it was persistently reported that England had put a ban on future trade, except to close out old trades. Real weakness followed the additional report that, for the time being, England would restrict imports to foodstuffs and munitions of war.

The lowest levels were reached in the early afternoon and toward the close the market recovered a few points, winding up for the day with a steady tone as the result of covering by scalping shorts and the conclusion by the trade that the Liverpool rumors were simply the result of an order issued some time ago by the British government, seeking to suppress outside participation in cotton trading.

Spot cotton nominal and unchanged. Sales on the spot, 695 bales; to arrive, 110. Good ordinary, 15.69; strict good ordinary, 16.19; low middling, 16.69; strict low middling, 16.94; middling, 17.19; strict middling, 17.38; good middling, 17.56; strict good middling, 17.81. Receipts, 2,097, stock, 430,101.

Bank of France.

Paris, February 15.—The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes:

Gold in hand, increased	6,022,000
Silver in hand, increased	2,290,000
Notes in circulation, increased	47,319,000
Treasury deposits, decreased	22,269,000
General deposits, increased	4,999,000
Bills discounted, decreased	7,286,000
Advances, decreased	6,111,000

AUTO "BLIND TIGER" CAPTURED AT NEWNAN

Newnan, Ga., February 15.—(Special.)—One of the largest confiscations of whisky since the prohibition laws went into effect took place here yesterday, when Chief of Police Finn cannon halted a man, who gave his name as Smith, for speeding through the five limits.

Upon noticing closely the car that was stopped, the chief decided that the owner was carrying entirely too much gasoline tank, and upon investigation, it was found that the tank was filled with 40 gallons of corn whisky.

Smith was lodged in jail pending the opening of the recorder's court and the whisky was poured into the streets in front of the First National bank before a large, thirsty crowd of spectators.

PECAN GRADING URGED AT ALBANY MEETING

Albany, Ga., February 15.—(Special.) Urging grading and standardization of pecans as matters of first importance to the pecan grower, the board of directors of the National Pecan Growers' association finished its annual meeting here today. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

W. P. Bullard of Albany, president; J. B. Wright of Cairo, vice president; J. C. Britton of Albany, secretary, and B. W. Stone of Thomasville, treasurer.

STORM WARNINGS UP ON ATLANTIC COAST

Washington, February 15.—Northwest storm warning signals were ordered displayed this morning from Sandy Hook to Savannah. Another storm of marked intensity was reported over eastern Tennessee, moving east northeast.

PROFESSIONAL VIEWS ON COTTON SITUATION

New York, February 15.—(Special.)—The cotton market opened lower on disappointing cables, but immediately advanced some 20 points on covering of hedges and renewed bull support. After this demand was filled the market reacted because Great Britain and Italy have restricted and limited all imports, giving foodstuffs and munitions the preference. While this is the case, it acts against cotton advancing to higher prices for the time being.

J. W. JAY & CO.

New York, February 15.—(Special.)—Unconfirmed reports that Great Britain would prohibit further trading in cotton futures except to close out, and that only imports of foodstuffs and ammunition would be allowed for the present, brought about selling in this market today with a consequent decline in prices. The restriction of shipping is, of course, an unfavorable incident, but we believe Great Britain and her allies will soon develop effective measures for the protection of their commerce.

BOND, M'ENANY & CO.

New York, February 15.—(Special.)—Thursday's cotton market was a quiet affair with the trade awaiting political developments. The disposition of shippers to await an announcement of the definite policy of this country is causing congestion of the ports temporarily, but it is our opinion that such a condition cannot last over a week longer. We, therefore, believe that purchases made on weak markets will show a profit. Liverpool is due 10½ points lower for May contracts. There seems to be very little oil offered and today it was harder to buy than to sell. We continue out advice to purchase oil.

JOHNSTON, STORM & CO.

New York, February 15.—(Special.)—Our cables from Liverpool state that the government has imposed further restrictions upon that market regarding the importation of cotton. We understand through other sources that others are told the probabilities are the entire import of cotton into the allied countries will pass under the supervision of the government of Great Britain. It was these influences which affected the market today. Houses with Liverpool connections were buying to close out exchange transactions, while the buyers of the past few days were slowly selling out their purchases. March was firm relatively with the other months, as cotton was bought to replace cotton caught in the freight embargoes throughout the country.

HUBBARD BROS. & CO.

COTTON MOVEMENT

ATLANTA WAREHOUSE COMPANY: Atlanta 4s, nominal, 17.25.

ATLANTA COMMERCIAL EXCHANGE: Atlanta 4s, nominal, 17.10.

Receipts, 34 bales.
Shipments, 1,387 bales.
Stocks, 74,329 bales.

Port Movement.

New Orleans—Middling 17.19; receipts 2,097; exports 14,910; sales 805; stock 430,101.

Galveston—Middling 16.25; receipts 6,923; exports 16,972; sales 250; stock 289,185.

Mobile—Middling 16.00; receipts 286; stock 13,559.

Savannah—Middling 18.50; receipts 555; stock 180,820.

Charleston—Receipts 20; stock 55,896.

Wilmington—Middling 16¾; receipts 68; stock 51,988.

Norfolk—Middling 16.25; receipts 587; sales 17; stock 99,912.

Baltimore—Stock 11,317.

Boston—Middling 16.30; receipts 197; stock 12,200.

Philadelphia—Middling 16.10; receipts 22; exports 1,926; stock 2,106.

New York—Middling 15.85; receipts 12; exports 616; sales 1,000; stock 167,550.

Minor ports—Stock 71,306.

Total today—Receipts 10,762; exports 34,425; stock 1,385,640.

Total for week—Receipts 71,582; exports 75,443.

Total for season—Receipts 5,735,352; exports 3,900,828.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling 16.15; receipts 2,166; shipments 2,163; sales 71; stock 160,086.

Memphis—Middling 17.00; receipts 2,834; shipments 1,792; sales 400; stock 347,866.

Augusta—Middling 16.50; receipts 587; shipments 500; sales 289; stock 120,049.

St. Louis—Receipts 605; shipments 939; stock 30,789.

Cincinnati—Receipts 198; shipments 166; stock 23,464.

Little Rock—Middling 17.00; receipts 32; shipments 156; sales 156; stock 37,845.

Total today—Receipts 6,416; shipments 5,716; stock 720,099.

Cotton Seed Oil.

New York, February 15.—After opening lower, cotton oil steadied with lard, but again eased off near the close under liquidation in nearby deliveries and lack of outside support. The close was generally 5 to 7 points lower. Tenders, 200 barrels. Sales, 10,100 barrels.

Range New York futures Thursday:

	Opening.	Closing.
Spots		12.50 bid
February	12.40@12.70	12.50@12.60
March	12.45@12.54	12.52@12.54
April	12.18@12.35	12.21@12.32
May	12.23@12.24	12.22@12.32
July	12.20@12.22	12.21@12.22
August	12.18@12.22	12.18@12.20
September	12.05@12.14	12.09@12.15

Sugar.

New York, February 15.—Uncertainty as to political developments in Cuba caused an unsettled feeling in the local market for raw sugar again today. Private advices from Cuba said that railroads were being interfered with, so that offerings from that quarter were very scarce. It was rumored that a lot of 6,000 tons of Cubas might have been sold privately at 4½c, cost and freight, although no confirmation could be received, but there was an interest shown at that figure from both operators and refiners, with holders asking higher prices. In the absence of definite transactions prices remained nominally unchanged at 4¾c for Cubas, cost and freight, equal to 5.40 for centrifugal and 4.53 for molasses.

Range New York futures Thursday:

	Open.	Close.
January	4.55	.....
February	4.70	4.62@4.65
March	4.55	4.48@4.49
April	4.41	4.45@4.47
May	4.40	4.42@4.44
June	.....	4.43@4.44
July	4.37	4.42@4.44
August	.....	4.42@4.44
September	4.37	4.43@4.44
October	.....	4.30@4.32
November	.....	4.20@4.25
December	.....	4.19@4.15

Coffee.

New York, February 15.—The market for coffee futures was less active today, but after some early irregularity as a result of March liquidation, prices showed a tendency to do better on continued nervousness over import conditions. The opening was 1 point higher to 1 point lower, and March sold off to 8.12 after the call, or about 3 points under last night's close. Later deliveries held steady, however, while March rallied to 8.17 in the late trading and September sold up to 8.50, or about 2 to 8 points net higher. The close was net 1 point lower to 5 points higher. Sales, 36,750

Spot coffee, quiet; Rio 7's 10c; Santos 4's, 10½. The cost and freight market was reported nominal. Santos 2's and 4's were said to be offered here at 10c, American credits, and 4's at 9.90.

The official cables reported an advance of 75 to 100 reis in Santos futures, with spots unchanged. Brazilion port receipts, 17,000; Judiahy, 5,000.

Metals.

New York, February 15.—The metal exchange quotes lead strong at 9.25@9.75. Spelter dull; spot, East St. Louis delivery, 10⅝.

At London: Lead, £30 10s; spelter, £47.

Copper, electrolytic, was firm on an improved demand, while little metal was offered this side of July. Quotations for spot and nearby were entirely nominal. Small lots were said to be available for the second quarter at $32.00@34.00, with leading interests quoting $31.00@32.00 for third quarter.

Iron steady and unchanged. Metal exchange quotes tin easy; spot, $50.00@52.00.

At London: Spot copper, £140; futures, £136; electrolytic, £149; spot tin £199 10s; futures, £198 15s.

Bank of England.

London, February 15.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

Total reserve, increased	£ 301,000
Circulation, decreased	85,000
Bullion, increased	216,623
Other securities, increased	5,455,000
Other deposits, decreased	81,313,000
Public deposits, increased	9,661,000
Notes reserve, increased	192,000
Government securities, decreased	77,137,000

The proportion of the bank's reserve to liabilities this week is 18.33 per cent; last week it was 12.34 per cent. Discount rates, 5½ per cent.

FINANCIAL MARKET HAS DULLEST DAY

All Former Records Broken by Stagnant Session Thursday—Total Dealings Only 290,000 Shares—New Haven to New Low Level.

New York, February 15.—All records for dullness since the stagnant sessions of last summer were surpassed today, total dealings only amounting to 290,000 shares. Of this amount about one-third occurred in the first hour, the later periods being marked by frequent pauses.

Price movements were in keeping with this state of inertia, standard stocks drifting slowly downward, while speculative issues were more variable. Leading industrials, including United States Steel, yielded one to two points, similar tendencies being manifested by most of the equipments and munitions, with a ten-point break in Bethlehem Steel (old stock), on a single transaction.

Motors, metals and utilities made extreme recessions of 1 to 3 points, gas shares once more showing conspicuous weakness, with other issues of less definite strength.

Intermittent strength in sugars, fertilizers, Continental and American Cans, Loose-Wiles Biscuit and Acme Tea, which registered irregular gains, seemingly on support from pools and cliques, failed to attract more than passing attention. Federal Mining and Smelting preferred rose 5⅜ points on declaration of an increased dividend, but in most other instances specific causes were altogether lacking.

Such firmness as was shown by rails at the outset was nullified later by fresh selling of New Haven, which fell to 37¾, the lowest level yet recorded. Canadian Pacific, Lehigh Valley and a few other stocks of the highest class, were subject to further moderate pressure.

Indications of another international loan, probably in the form of commercial credits to French banking interests, were furnished by the visit of a leading financier to Washington. An additional seven million dollars in gold was received from Canada, and the weekly statement of the Bank of England showed an appreciable recovery in reserve liabilities.

Remittances to London and the continent were generally easier, but transactions were nominal; both as to purchases and sales.

Aside from slight irregularity, the bond market was featureless. Total sales, par value, $2,435,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Stocks in New York.

STOCKS.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Allis-Chalmers	.....	.....	23½	23½
Am. Beet Sugar	102½	99½	101¾	99
Am. Can	44½	43	43	42¾
Am. Car and Fdry	62¼	62¼	62¼	63
Am. Cotton Oil, ex-div.	.....	.....	41	43
Am. Locomotive	70⅝	69	69	71¼
Am. Smelting	96⅝	95¼	96	96
Am. Sugar	108	107	107¼	107½
Am. Tel. and Tel	124½	123¾	124¼	124⅝
Am. Tobacco, ex-div.	.....	.....	209	215
Am. Zinc	36	36	36	36
Anaconda Copper	75⅞	74¾	74¾	75⅛
Atchison	102¼	101⅝	102	102½
Atlantic Coast Line	.....	.....	110⅞	111
Bald'n Locomotive	53¼	57¾	51¾	52⅝
B. and O.	76¼	76	76⅛	76⅛
Bethehem Steel	380	380	380	390
Canadian Pacific	150	151¾	151¾	152¾
Central Leather	87	84¾	85¼	86
Chesap'e and Ohio	59¼	58½	58½	59
Chi., Mil. and St. Paul	80⅛	79⅞	80	80
Chi., R. I. and Pac. Ry.	26¼	26	26	27⅛
Colorado Fuel and Iron	43½	43½	43½	43½
Consolidated Gas	122¼	119½	121	122½
Corn Products	21⅛	20¾	20¾	20⅞
Crucible Steel	65	62⅝	63⅞	63⅝
Cuba Cane Sugar	39⅛	37	38¼	37
Erie	26	25⅞	25⅞	26
General Electric	164	163½	164	163
Great Northern, pfd.	112¾	112¾	112¾	113⅞
Great Northern Ore Ctfs.	31½	31	31½	31½
Goodrich	54½	54½	54½	54½
Illinois Central	101⅝	101⅜	101⅜	101
Inspiration Copper	55¼	54¾	55	55¼
Int. Mer. Mar., pfd.	67⅞	66½	67¼	67⅞
International Nickel	41½	40½	40½	41
International Paper	37⅝	36¼	36¼	38
Kan. City Southern	.....	.....	21¼	21¼
Kennecott Copper	43½	42½	42⅝	43⅝
Lehigh Valley	73	71¼	72¼	72⅞
L. and N.	.....	.....	123½	124
Liggett and Myers	.....	.....	265	265¾
Lorillard Co.	.....	.....	200	200
Maxwell Motors	54⅞	53	54	54¾
Mexican Petroleum	86½	84½	85⅝	85¾
National Lead	54½	54½	54½	54
N. Y. Central	94	93⅝	93⅝	94
N. Y., N. H. and H.	38⅜	37½	37⅞	37½
N. and W.	.....	.....	128⅜	129¼
Northern Pacific	103¾	103	103½	103⅞
Pennsylvania	54⅜	53⅜	53⅝	54⅜
Pay Consol. Copper	25⅞	25½	25⅝	25⅝
Reading	91⅞	91⅝	91½	92¼
Rep. Iron and Steel	75½	73⅞	74	75¼
Seaboard Air Line	.....	.....	14¾	14½
do. pfd.	.....	.....	33	33
Sloss-Shef. Steel and Iron	58	58	58	59
Studebaker Corp.	102	100¾	101	102½
Southern Pacific	93¼	93	93	93¼
Southern Railway	28½	28	28½	28½
do. pfd.	62	62	62	62½
Tenn. Copper	15½	15	15¼	15¼
Texas Co.	216¾	215	216¾	215
Union Pacific	138	137	137¼	137½
United Fruit	.....	.....	137½	138½
U. S. Rubber	53	52¾	52¾	52¾
U. S. Steel	106	105⅝	104⅜	105⅝
do. pfd.	117½	117⅝	117⅝	117¼
Utah Copper	107	105¾	105¾	106⅝
Va.-Caro. Chem.	88	87⅝	87⅝	88
Wabash pfd. "B"	25¼	24¾	24⅞	25½
Western Union	94¾	92¾	94	94½
Westing'e Electric	50½	50	50⅜	50⅝
Mo. Pac., W. I.	.....	.....	28	29

Total Sales Thursday, 290,000 shares.

Bonds in New York.

U. S. 2s, registered, bid	99
do. coupon, bid	99
U. S. 3s, registered, bid	100
do. coupon, bid	100¾
U. S. 4s, registered, bid	107½
do. coupon, bid	109
Panama 3s, coupon, bid	99½
American Agricultural 5s, bid	101¾
American Cotton Oil 5s, bid	94⅛
American Tel. and Tel. cv. 4½s	104⅛
American Tobacco 6s, bid	119
Anglo-French 5s	91⅝
Atchison gen. 4s	94
Atlantic Coast Line 1st	92¾
Baltimore and Ohio cv. 4½s	93⅜
Central of Georgia Consol. 5s, bid	100½
Central Leather 5s, bid	101
Chesapeake and Ohio cv. 4½s	83
Chicago, B. and Q. joint 4s	97⅜
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul cv. 5s	103⅜
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry. ref. 4s	74¾
Colorado and Southern ref. 4½s	84⅝
Denver and Rio Grande ref. 5s	67
Dominion of Canada 5's (1931)	98½
Erie gen. 4s	68
Illinois Central ref. 4s	92
Kansas City Southern ref. 5s, bid	87½
Liggett and Myers 5s, bid	101½
Lorillard 5s, bid	100¾
Louisville and Nashville un. 4s	94
Missouri, Kan. and Texas 1st 4s	76
Missouri Pacific Consol. 6s	104¾
New York Central deb. 6s	108¼
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford cv. 6s	100
Norfolk and Western cv. 4½s	127⅛
Northern Pacific 4s	94
Pennsylvania Consol. 4½s	104⅜
Pennsylvania gen. 4½s	102
Reading gen. 4s	94⅜
Republic Iron and Steel 5s (1940), bid	10
St. Louis and Southwestern 1st	77½
Seaboard Air Line adj. 5s	62
Southern Bell Telephone 5s	100¾
Southern Pacific cv. 5s	100⅛
Southern Railway 5s	100⅞
do. gen. 4s	101
Tennessee Copper cv. 6s, bid	73½
Texas Coinpany cv. 6s	88
Union Pacific 4s	104¾
United States Steel 5s	101
Virginia-Carolina Chemical 5s, bid	96½

London Financial.

London, February 15.—Bar silver, 38¼d per ounce.

Money, 3½ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 5⅛ per cent; three months, 5⅛ per cent.

ATLANTA QUOTATIONS

ATLANTA LIVE STOCK MARKET.

(Corrected by W. H. White, Jr., of the White Provision Company.)

Good to choice steers, 800 to 900 pounds, $6.50 to $7.00.
Good steers, 700 to 800 pounds, $6.25 to $6.50.
Medium to good steers, 700 to 800 pounds, $5.75 to $6.25.
Good to choice beef cows, 750 to 850 pounds, $5.75 to $6.50.
Medium to good cows, 650 to 750 pounds, $5.25 to $5.75.
Good to choice heifers, 600 to 700 pounds, $5.00 to $5.50.
The above represents the ruling prices of good quality cattle. Inferior grades and dairy types selling lower.

Medium to god steers, 750 to 850 pounds, $6.00 to $6.50.
Medium to good steers, 750 to 850 pounds, $5.00 to $5.75.
Mixed common, $4.25 to 4.75.
Good fat oxen, $5.75 to $6.25.
Medium oxen, $5.25 to $5.75.
Good butcher bulls, $4.50 to $5.00.

Choice veal calves, $6.00 to $6.75.
Yearlings, $4.50 to $5.50.

Sheep, good, $4.50 to $5.50.
Medium sheep, $3.75 to $4.50.

Prime hogs, 160 to 225 pounds, $8.75 to $9.00.
Light hogs, 140 to 160 pounds, $8.50 to $8.60.
Heavy pigs, 110 to 140 pounds, $8.20 to $8.40.
Light pigs, 90 to 110 pounds, $7.90 to $8.10.
Above quotations apply to corn-fed hogs Mast and peanut-fattened lower, owing to quality.

Cattle receipts fair. Market strong and higher.

Hog receipts moderate. Market higher.

GROCERIES.

(Corrected by the Oglesby Grocery Co.)

Axle Grease—Diamond, $1.95; Four Brothers, 48 10c, $3.25; Mica, 48 10c, $3.25; 24 25c, $4.25.

Baking Powder—Princine, $2.50; Good Luck, $1.80; Parrot and Monkey, $1.80; Rough Rider, $1.80; Rumford, $2.70; Royal 1 pound, $4.80; ½-pound, $5.00; Calumet, 48 6-ounce, $3.80; 25 16-ounce, $5.00.

Beans—Lima, 9½c; Pink, 9½c; White, 13½c.

Candy—Stick, barrels, 10c; boxes, 10¼c; fancy mixed, 10-pound pail, 9¼c; chocolate drops, 12½c to 16c.

Flour—Elegant, $11.00; Diamond Patent, $10.25; Monogram, $9.75; best Self-Rising, $9.75; Carnation, $9.66; Sky Rocket, self-rising, $9.60; Golden Grain, $9.50; Blue Ribbon, $9.10.

Sugar—Granulated, 7¼c; powdered, 8c; cubes, 8¼c; 24 1s, powdered, $2.50; No. 11 brown, 7c.

Cocoa and Chocolate—Walter Baker's cocoa, 41c; Walter Baker's chocolate, 37c; W. H. Baker's cocoa, 39c; W. H. Baker's chocolate, 35c.

Soap—Octagon, $4.20; Ivory, small, $4.15; Fairy, $4.00; P. & G. Naphtha, $4.15; Fels Naptha, $4.00; Clean Easy, $2.35.

Soup—Forty-eight 1s, $4.40.

Vegetables—Canned—V. C. pork and beans, 72 1⅛s, $3.10; 48 1st, $5.40; 36 2s, $5.70; Bull Head, 24 $2.40; Tomatoes, 24 2s, $2.35; 24 3s, $3.25; Kraut, 24 2½s, $2.80; Hominy, 24 2s, $1.80.

Salt—Salt brick (med.), per case, $5.00; salt brick (plain), per case, $2.40; salt, Red Rock, per cwt., $1.10; salt, 100-lb. sacks, 75c; salt, Myles, 100-lb. sacks, 70c; Premium, 30 3s, $1.15.

ATLANTA PROVISION MARKET.

(Corrected by the White Provision Co.)

Cornfield hams, 10 to 12 average	$ .21½
Cornfield hams, 12 to 14 average	.21½
Cornfield skinned hams, 18 to 20 avg.	22¼
Cornfield picnic hams, 6 to 8 average	.16¾
Cornfield breakfast bacon	.26
Cornfield sliced bacon, 1-lb. boxes, 12 to case	3.60
Grocers' bacon, wide or narrow	.20
Cornfield pork sausage, fresh link or bulk	.14
Cornfield wieners, in 10-lb. cartons	.15
Cornfield bologna sausage, 25-lb. boxes	.13
Cornfield smoked link sausage, 25-lb. boxes	.12
Cornneld wieners, in pickle, No. 15 kits	2.00
Cornfield lard, tierce basis	.17¾
Country style lard, tierce basis	.17¾
Compound lard, tierce basis	.14¾
D. S. extra ribs	.16¾
D. S. bellies, medium average	.17¾
D. S. bellies, light average	.17¾

FRUITS, VEGETABLES AND PRODUCE.

(Corrected by Fidelity Fruit and Produce Company.)

Apples, barrel	$4.00@6.00
Oranges, box	$2.25@2.50
Lemons, box	$4.00
Grapefruit, box	$2.50@2.75
Celery, Florida, dozen	$3.25
Lettuce, drum, per dozen	85c@$1.00
Cabbage, per crate	$2.00
Peppers, crate	$4.50
Onions, yellow and red, pound	.07
Onions, white, pound	.08
Sweet potatoes, bushel	$1.00
Irish potatoes, sack	$6.00
Eggs, fresh, dozen	45c
Friers, pound, live	25@28c
Hens, pound, live	18@19c
Hens, dressed	19@20c
Friers, dressed	30c
Turkeys, dressed	30c
Ducks, each	40c

FLOUR, GRAIN, HAY AND FEED.

(Corected by W. S. Duncan Company.)

Flour, Sacked, Per Bbl.—Victory (in 48-lb. towel bags), $10.50; Victory (our finest patent), $10.35; Gloria (self-rising), $10.10; Nell Rose (self-rising), $10.10; White Lily (self-rising), $10.10; Royal (self-rising), $10.10; Puritan (highest patent), $9.75; Paragon (highest patent), $9.75; Home Queen (highest patent), $9.75; Pride of Denver (highest patent), $9.75; White Cloud (high patent), $9.50; White Daisy (high patent), $9.50; Dixie Flyer (high patent), $9.50; Ocean Spray (good patent), $9.25; Southern Star (good patent), $9.25; Sun Rise (good patent), $9.25.

Meal, Sacked, Per Bu.—Meal, plain, 144-lb. sacks, $1.35; meal, plain, 96-lb. sacks, $1.25; meal, plain, 48-lb. sacks, $1.27; meal, plain, 24-lb. sacks, $1.29.

Grain, Sacked, Per Bu.—Corn, red cob, white milling, $1.38; corn, white feed corn, $1.38; oats, fancy white clipped, 80c; oats, No. 2 white clipped, 79c; oats, No. 2 white, 78c; oats, Diamond D white, 77c; oats, sample mixed, 75c.

Seeds, Sacked, Per Bu.—Bancroft seed oats, 95c; Appler sed oats, 90c; Burt seed oats, 95c; Texas rust-proof seed oats, 90c.

Hay, Etc.—Timothy, No. 1, large bales, $1.40; timothy, choice one-third bales, $1.40; timothy, No. 1, one-third bales, $1.25; timothy, No. 2, one-third bales, $1.25; shea straw, 80c; C. S. meal, No. 7, $42.00; C. S. meal, Buco feed,

MRS. M'CALL CHOSEN REGENT OF D. A. R.

Organization Pledged to Work for Red Cross, Compulsory Education, Law Enforcement and State Historial Society.

Quitman, Ga., February 15.—(Special.)—When Mrs. S. W. Foster was nominated for re-election as vice president general at the D. A. R. state conference today, the entire assembly rose to second the nomination.

Mrs. Howard McCall was unanimously re-elected state regent; Mrs. C. C. Holt, of Macon, first vice regent; Mrs. R. P. Spencer, of Columbus, second vice regent; Mrs. Oscar T. Peeples, of Cartersville, recording secretary; Mrs. W. L. Percy, of Atlanta, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Lula Hitch Chapman, of Quitman, treasurer, succeeding Mrs. Vereen; Mrs. J. S. Wood, of Savannah, historian; Mrs. A. L. Wilking, of Eastman, editor, succeeding Mrs. Hays, of Montezuma, who was nominated for the place and declined it.

Mrs. Guernsey Indorsed.

Following her election, Mrs. Foster was presented to the conference. She expressed her deep appreciation of the loyalty of the Georgia D. A. R. and urged Georgia to remain true and to pledge her vote for Mrs. Guernsey, of Kansas, in the national conference, as president.

Four important resolutions by the state regent, were adopted by a unanimous vote: They pledge the D. A. R. to foster the boy and girl scout movement as an important first aid training; to form a new historical society in Georgia, headed by L. L. Knight, Judge S. B. Adams, Miss Mildred Rutherford and others; to establish a students' loan fund, and to place the state flags in every school in Georgia.

Loan Fund Contributions.

Every Georgia chapter pledged cash contributions to the students' loan fund. Moultrie chapter gave $45; Mrs. Foster gave $75. A total of $275 was pledged by the conference. It was voted that each chapter encourage members to join the Red Cross movement and work for fifteen thousand members so that a base hospital may be secured for Georgia. The regent was instructed to appoint a special committee for better motion pictures. It was voted to petition the legislature to pass a law making counties keep public records more efficiently.

Members of the D. A. R. were pledged to work for the enforcement of the compulsory education law.

COLES MAKES ADDRESS TO ATLANTA BANKERS

A. P. Coles, vice president of the Central Bank and Trust corporation, addressed the Atlanta chapter of the American Institute of Banking at the regular meeting Wednesday evening at the chamber of commerce building.

Mr. Coles spoke on "Loans and Discounts," delivering an able and interesting talk. He concluded his discourse with some remarks on the present economic conditions, and the probable outcome of these conditions.

Builders Swayed By the Harmonies Of Negro Singers

Old-Fashioned Southern Entertainment Proves Feature of Convention Program—Pittsburg Wins the Next Convention Fight.

Decatur street "niggers," dressed in the garb of old plantation darkies, playing their banjos, guitars, harps and fiddles, and singing old-time southern melodies, proved the feature of the entertainment given 400 delegates to the Builders' exchanges' convention at the Piedmont hotel last night.

Of course, nobody but "Cousin Fred" Houser, who was in charge of the entertainment, and a few others knew these negroes came from Atlanta's famous "black alley." To the easterners, northerners and westerners attending the celebration the performers were genuine old-fashioned, plantation darkies, about whom they had read so much in wartime stories.

The main dining room of the Piedmont was crowded for the entertainment. The negroes were liberally applauded for their harmonies. The audience seemed to sway with the voices of the negroes, and when the singers offered "Poor Mourner," there was a hushed silence.

Resolutions were passed by the builders indorsing President Wilson's action in regard to Germany, and offering the president the support of the Builders' exchange throughout the country in whatever course he takes.

Pittsburg, Pa., won the 1918 convention over Cincinnati, which city withdrew from the race and voted to make the election unanimous before the race was half way over.

Following the selection of next year's convention city Thursday afternoon the business meetings of the convention came to a close, although entertainment features planned by the Atlanta exchanges will continue through Saturday.

Today the delegates, numbering 300 strong, will board a special train at 8 a. m., Union depot, for Tate, Ga., where they will go as the guests of Colonel Sam Tate, to inspect the Georgia marble quarries at this place.

E. M. Tate, secretary of the Pittsburg Builders' exchange, was appointed national secretary, and Pittsburg selected as national headquarters.

FREE DENTAL CLINIC FOR CHILDREN STARTED

Free dental work among the children of the Luckie Street school was begun this week by Dr. Ed T. Mincey, councilman from the sixth ward, whose offices are at 423½ Marietta street, in the Fraternal hall. He is acting under a resolution adopted by the Atlanta Dental society which offered to do such free work for school children whose parents were not able to pay. Luckie Street school was assigned to Dr. Mincey, who not only does the work free, but furnishes all material without cost.

The free dental work was accepted by the board of education. The dentists will devote one hour each week until all children have been looked after.

STOCKADE PROPERTY SALE IS POSTPONED

The Prison Committee Decides Time Is Not Right for the Sale of Real Estate.

At a meeting of the prison committee of council yesterday afternoon, Councilman J. L. Carpenter made an earnest appeal for the sale of the stockade property.

The committee, after a long discussion, thought it might be inadvisable just at this time to try to dispose of the land. The matter will probably come up in council again this year.

Councilman Carpenter, who represents the Ninth ward, said that the 100 acres of stockade land was too valuable to be used as a truck garden with a lot of old women to work it. He pointed out that the property could be divided into lots and sold at a good price.

"The stockade, located as it is," he said, "stops the growth and development of both the Third and Ninth wards. It is near Grant park and close to a new schoolhouse. The Elsas and May people want to expend $150,000 in erecting new buildings for their employees, and their land adjoins the stockade property. The also want to build a fine Y. M. C. A. building. But the stockade and pesthouse stares them in the face. It is a disgrace. We want it moved."

In reply to questions he stated that the city had a good site for a stockade on a Port street lot; that the city convicts had to be hauled too far to reach all parts of the city; that the pesthouse could be located on city property at one of the disposal plants.

The other members of the committee said that Councilman Carpenter made some strong points, but thought it a bad time to try to sell real estate.

Councilman Carpenter, while signing the adverse report on his resolution, gave notice that he intended to fight for the sale of the stockade property as long as he was in council, for that matter, as long as he was a citizen of Atlanta.

How To Relieve Catarrhal Deafness or Head Noises

If you have catarrh, catarrhal deafness or head noises caused by catarrh, or if phlegm drops in your throat and has caused catarrh of the stomach or bowels you will be glad to know that these distressing symptoms may be entirely overcome in many instances by the following treatment which you can easily prepare in your own home at little cost. Secure from your druggist 1 ounce of Parmint (Double Strength). This will not cost you more than 75c. Take this home and add to it ¼ pint of hot water and 4 ounces of granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. An improvement is sometimes noted after the first day's treatment. Breathing should become easy, while the distressing head noises, headaches, dullness, cloudy thinking, etc., should gradually disappear under the tonic action of the treatment. Loss of smell, taste, defective hearing and mucus dropping in the back of the throat are other symptoms which suggest the presence of catarrh and which may often be overcome by this efficacious treatment. If nearly ninety per cent of all ear troubles are caused by catarrh, there must be many people whose hearing may be restored by this simple home treatment.—(adv.)

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WHIFFS

Boosts Bridwell.

HARRY MATTHEWS, former Cracker star who will manage the Griffin club in the Georgia-Alabama league this season, is a strong booster for Al Bridwell, who will come back to the Crackers this spring and will try to fill the hole at second base made by the graduation of Steve Yerkes to the Cubs. Matty is confident that Al will fill the bill, especially as he is listed in the class of smart ball players.

Big Prep Game.

SATURDAY one of the biggest basketball games of the year in prep circles will be played here, when Columbus High comes here for a return engagement with the Tech High quintet whom they defeated in the recent engagement between the two teams in Columbus. It should be a rip-snorter.

Decide Title.

THE GIRLS' prep basketball title is at stake Friday when the Decatur High and Fulton High girls contest at Fulton High. If the former wins, then they will cinch the pennant in the league. If Fulton High is victor, the ultimate winner will only be decided by playing out the complete schedule of the league.

Begin Work.

ALL THE SOUTHERN colleges have started their baseball teams to work. Practice has started at practically every school in the south. All of the work is being done indoors and will be continued indoors for some time yet. But by March 1, they'll all be out in the open, hard at it.

Counting Days.

ATLANTA FANS are counting the days until Manager Charles Frank returns to Atlanta to let loose some real dope on the 1917 Crackers. The Dutchman will be along here next week and then things will begin to liven up in a baseball way in this city. Just how many men he has under contract so far is not known. He has until March 1 to send out contracts to his men. No doubt he has already mailed them all out.

As Expected.

THE BREAKING of the players' strike was to be expected. We doubted if some of the players, who had no grievances, would stick and the action of the fraternity in calling off the strike, and their reasons for doing so backs up our contention. We did not believe that half, hardly a quarter, of the players were in sympathy with the strike and its sudden termination when it came to a showdown proves it.

Georgia in Trip.

THE RED AND BLACK basketball team is off on another road trip. Friday night they play Mercer at Macon and Saturday they play the Young Men's Christian association five at Savannah. They should have no trouble in winning from either. Saturday week they play the locals here.

New Promoter.

BIDDY BISHOP, manager of Billy Weeks, the Canadian middleweight champion, and Carl Travis, the new lightweight sensation, is so anxious to get his boys introduced in this section that he is willing to promote a boxing contest in this city, if those who have been promoting them in the past are willing. Biddy wants to match either of his boys with any good boy that local fans would suggest, and will then arrange the rest of the card.

TITLE BASKETBALL IN GIRLS' LEAGUE

Fulton-Decatur Game Will Determine the Ultimate Ranking of Teams for Year.

HOW THEY STAND.

TEAMS.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Decatur High	4	0	1.000
Fulton High	3	1	.750
Washington Seminary	1	3	.250
Marietta High	0	4	.000

The big game of the Girls' Prep Basketball league will be played Friday, when Decatur and Fulton High meet at Fulton High's court. The other game of the day will be between Washington seminary and Marietta High.

If Fulton High should win this game they will be tied with Decatur for the league lead and a merry battle will be waged until the finish. If Decatur wins, then they will cinch the pennant for the season.

That a big crowd will be on hand to witness this game is certain.

DARCY VS. GIBBONS, MILWAUKEE, APRIL 10

New York, February 15.—The ten-round bout between Mike Gibbons, of St. Paul, claimant of the middleweight title, and Les Darcy, the Australian middleweight, for which articles were signed last night, is to take place in Milwaukee April 10.

A purse of $50,000 and two-thirds of the moving picture rights will be equally divided. The men will fight at 160 pounds.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE BREAKS WITH FRAT

Action of National Commission Approved—Playing Rules Discussed, But No Changes Made.

New York, February 15.—Relations with the Baseball Players' Fraternity were severed by the American league at its schedule meeting here today, when similar action taken by the National league yesterday was indorsed in the following resolutions:

"Whereas, the players' fraternity has repeatedly violated the letter and spirit of an agreement entered into with them on January 6, 1914; therefore be it

"Resolved by the American League of Professional Baseball clubs, That all relations with said fraternity be, and the same are hereby, terminated."

The playing schedule for the coming season was adopted, the action of the national commission in reference to the requests of the National Association of Minor Leagues was approved, and while the playing rules were discussed, no changes were recommended.

The league passed a resolution suggesting that baseball players of the American league be given an opportunity to become civilian soldiers. The proposals were that at each spring camp one hour a day be devoted to military instruction and that a military training camp be established at the close of the world's series.

At a meeting of the national commission, also held here today, the action taken by the National and American leagues abrogating the "Cincinnati agreement" with the players' fraternity was approved. Several requests made by the National Association of Minor Baseball Leagues were granted by the commission, but the principal one, which was to eliminate the draft from class AA and A clubs, was denied.

AMERICAN LEAGUE ADOPTS SCHEDULE

Only Three Conflicting Dates With the National League This Season.

Chicago, February 15.—The seventeenth season of the American league will open April 11, according to the official schedule for 1917, as made public by B. B. Johnson, president of the league, tonight.

The 1917 chart calls for the usual 154 games and three trips around the circuit, the season closing October 4, with Washington at Boston. The other six clubs are scheduled to end hostilities on October 1, with Chicago at New York, St. Louis at Boston, Detroit at Philadelphia and Cleveland at Washington. It may be possible, however, to advance the three games which Boston has scheduled for the tail end of the season.

New York, Philadelphia, Detroit and St. Louis have been awarded the inaugural series. The world's champions will be the attraction at New York, Washington will oppose Philadelphia, while Cleveland tackles Detroit and Chicago plays at St. Louis. Four-game series are booked for each city and the "home and home" series are then continued in the west and east until the second week in May.

The invasion of the west by the eastern clubs has been set for May 10. New York will visit Chicago, Philadelphia will be at St. Louis, Boston at Detroit and Washington at Cleveland.

The invasion of the east by the western clubs will begin May 31 and June 1. Detroit and Cleveland will lead the advance guard on May 31. They will play at New York and Boston, respectively. Chicago and St. Louis open hostilities on the following day at Philadelphia and Washington.

There are only three conflicting dates with the National league. All are on Sunday, in Chicago. They are June 24 and September 9 and 16.

COLUMBUS HIGH SCHOOL TO PLAY THE TECH HIGH

Coach McLarty's quintet at Tech High school will play the Columbus High school on Tech High's court, at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. This game will have considerable bearing on the prep championship of Georgia.

This will be a return game by the Columbus lads, as the local prep league leaders recently played the Muscogeans on the small Columbus Y. M. C. A. court, losing by a score of 19 to 16.

"Gibble" Fraser, the star forward, of Tech High, was not in this game, due to a broken rib, but hopes are held out that he will be able to enter the game Saturday.

The Tech High management is making special preparations to seat the largest crowd that has ever attended a Tech High game. A small admission will be charged to defray expenses.

As Columbus High has defeated all the teams in her section of the state, and Tech High has not been defeated in Atlanta, and has beaten most of the teams around the Gate City, Saturday's contest will have considerable bearing on the state championship.

CITY PREP QUINTET IN ELEVENTH ROUND

The City Prep Basketball league will compete in its eleventh round of games Friday, with the following schedule:

G. M. A. at Fulton High.
Marist at Commercial High.
Tech High at Peacock.

Hoppe Breaks Record.

Cleveland, Ohio, February 15.—Willie Hoppe, world's balk line billiard champion, broke all records in a three-cushion billiard match here tonight, when he defeated Jake Schaefer, 50 to 25, in thirty-one innings. He had two high runs of eight and one of six.

FRANCE TO FIX PRICES OF DAIRY PRODUCTS

Paris, February 15.—The food ministry has decided that from February 19 maximum prices are to be fixed throughout France for milk, butter and cheese. In the department of the Seine, including Paris, the price of milk must not exceed ten cents for a litre—about a pint and three-quarters—if bought in a shop, or 11 cents delivered. The maximum prices for butter vary from $1.12 to $1.34 per kilo—roughly two pounds—according to the quality and source.

The only cheese prices fixed so far are camembert, from 13 cents to 25 cents the small box, according to the quality and Pont L'Eveque at slightly higher prices. All prices must be conspicuously displayed in the shops concerned.

There will be no celebration of Mardi Gras next Tuesday, but all theaters will be permitted to give both morning and evening performances. The two-course meal regulation, which applies to all hotels and restaurants, goes into effect today.

PERMANENT SHOW FOR DIXIE'S RESOURCES

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PERMANENT EXHIBIT.

At a rousing meeting of the exhibitors at the Southeastern Land show yesterday afternoon, just before the final curtain fell, the fifty men present voted unanimously to make the enterprise permanent, and authorized the immediate launching of a plan to reorganize the institution with permanency in view. The tentative plan contemplates the erection of a four-story building in Atlanta in which to house a year-round land show, supplemented by an annual indoor exposition to be held in another building.

Resolutions were passed praising and thanking The Constitution and The Atlanta Journal for their assistance given the land show of 1917; others expressing appreciation and gratitude to the land show management for their efforts, which made the success of the show possible; others thanking the government for the federal exhibit and praising the personality and character of the men—A. A. Ormsby and Joseph Abel—sent here to manage it.

Every man present voted the first land show a rousing success, especially in face of two decided handicaps: The coming of the severe cold weather upon the afternoon of the opening of the show, and the "breaking" of the news of the severence of diplomatic relations between the United States and Germany upon the first day of the show.

For genuine enthusiasm and optimism the meeting was almost epochal in the history of Atlanta.

minerals, the third to manufactures and the top floor to a daily projection of motion pictures depicting the resources and activities of the four states, Georgia, Florida, Alabama and South Carolina. All during the year the executive staff in charge of the year-round "indoors fair" would be at work on the details and plans for the next big exposition, which would be held in another building each year.

All dates and details, of course, will have to be decided upon later.

At the meeting Thursday afternoon, which was held in the meeting room just off the foyer of the main auditorium, there was not a word of disparagement uttered, not a discordant note sounded, and at times the enthusiasm and acclamations of approval of the course and the methods pursued by the management of the land show just closed, and of the many optimistic expressions with reference to the future, the exuberation of the audience ran to a point almost "beyond bounds."

Clarke Makes Address.

Mr. Clarke, who has been ill since weeks before the land show opened and who, almost throughout its duration, was confined to his room, was able to be at the meeting which he had called, and when he arose to respond to a call for a brief address he was greeted with a generous round of applause.

"It is needless for me to say that work will be started immediately on the next Southeastern Land show," he said. "The date will be set at a meeting of those interested, which will be called some time within the next two or three weeks.

"The management of the next Southeastern Land show should have at its command a fund of not less than $50,000. At least $25,000 of this amount should be expended in advertising and general publicity work.

"The holding of the present land show has brought strikingly to the minds of those interested in such matters the proposition of a permanent land exhibit in Atlanta open every day in the year. I believe that such an exhibit will be eventually established here. In the meantime we ask that all exhibitors give the matter of the next Southeastern Land show serious consideration."

At the conclusion of Mr. Clarke's speech, R. W. Parker, of Smith, Ewing & Parker rose and introduced the following resolution:

"Resolved first, That we, the exhibitors of the first Southeastern Land show, desire to express our appreciation and gratitude to the management of the show for their untiring efforts in our behalf and for their uniformly courteous treatment of all exhibitors under varying and trying conditions.

"Resolved second. That we believe the Southeastern Land show should be made a permanent institution, and as soon as feasible to establish in Atlanta a permanent exhibit open every day in the year.

"Resolved third. That we pledge the present management our most earnest co-operation and assistance towards the accomplishing of these results."

The resolution was seconded by nine or ten of those present, all of whom spoke for a few minutes, indorsing its sentiments.

Mr. Haden presided over the meeting, and said that during the remainder of his term as president of the Georgia Chamber of Commerce and in the future thereafter, he will do all within his power to aid in this plan of a permanent land show.

H. G. Hastings, who, April 1, is to succeed Mr. Haden as president of the state chamber, spoke next, and he, too, without hesitancy pledged his good offices to realization of the plan, and in that connection he expressed his hearty appreciation of the show just closing, and he felicitated the management of it upon the success with which it had been planned and staged from beginning to end.

Significant Exposition.

R. E. Burdette, of the Burdett Realty company, who came recently from Birmingham, and who has been connected with various land shows in the north and west, said that in several respects this has been the greatest and most significant exposition the south has ever known.

Leonard C. Lamb, sales manager of the Cable Piano company, said that his experience has been that the land show has succeeded far beyond his expectation, and that his firm is "ready right now to sign up for space for another year."

"I wish we only had the chance," he went on, "to have a space where we could keep our exhibit and demonstration work in progress every day of the year."

M. Leak, of the Georgia Chamber of Commerce exhibit car; R. W. Parker, of the realty firm of Smith, Ewing & Parker; W. C. Batty, in charge of the Fort Myers, Fla., booth; S. E. Davidson, of Miller Bros. company; A. J. Smith, in charge of the DeKalb county exhibit, and Charles R. Cunningham, circulation manager of The Southern Ruralist, were others who spoke, and each man expressed precisely the same sentiment.

Charles D. Hurt introduced a resolution thanking the federal government for having sent its splendid exhibit to the show. The resolution was adopted with unanimity, and a copy of it ordered sent to the secretary of agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Another resolution, introduced and carried without a dissenting voice, was one thanking The Constitution and The Journal for the publicity and co-operation they had given the land show.

The show was visited during its fourteen days by approximately 20,000 people, including exhibitors and attaches and others with passes. The net financial results have not been figured, but the deficit, whatever it will prove to be, will be slight. During by far the greater part of the two weeks the weather has been unprecedentedly severe, and to that fact alone the management and exhibitors attribute the small attendance. But all point out the fact that the people who did attend, for the most part, were people who attended with investigation and subsequent home-building or investment in view. That fact made the show a success, regardless of the numbers attending.

Just prior to the close of the show the Miller Brothers Orchard company first mortgage $100 gold bond, upon which every land show visitor who registered at the company's booth during the show, was given a chance at the final drawing, was awarded to Louis Wellhouse, Georgian Terrace, who held coupon No. 1513.

AMUSEMENTS

Family Vaudeville.

(At the Rialto.)

The appearance of two local artists of pronounced ability, along with other good performers, makes the bill at the Rialto theater for the last three days of the week one of exceptional merit and interest, and one that on Thursday attracted large and appreciative audiences.

Dave Love, an Atlanta youth, who was easily recognized as the violinist who had played from time to time in Atlanta movie houses and had been doing some teaching at the Atlanta Conservatory of Music, appeared with a young pianist of equal gifts, Laurie Briers, in their first vaudeville act. They were greeted with spontaneous applause throughout.

The sketch the Atlanta boys are offering was arranged and staged by Jake Matthiessen, director of the Forsyth orchestra, and Ward Brown, of the same orchestra. There is an effective commingling of classical and ragtime music.

The Seaburg-Price couple were unusually skillful in their ability to draw pictures with colored crayon, and the woman sang some songs of decided appeal. Her voice was of extensive range and full of genuine melody. Their costuming, the conventional artist's velvet suit and cap, increased the impressiveness of the act.

One of the most delightful and unique acts in vaudeville was presented by the Misses White and Lewis, attractive girls, who, by means of a series of clever songs, tell the audience that they are just two "girlies who are trying to get along," and that, though they might not be thought good, they were very good at heart. They had tried to get into grand opera, but one was too fat and the other too lean. So the stage was their only way of "getting along." Their voices are of fine quality, above the average of vaudeville singers.

Thomas Dunne, comedian and imitator, keeps an audience amused from first to last of a rather long act. He is an imitator of rare powers.

The Germaine Trio, aerialists, complete an excellent bill.

DICK BROYLES.

Washington Square Players.

(At the Atlanta.)

Tonight the famous organization of actors and actresses known as the "Washington Square Players" will make their first appearance at the Atlanta theater. They will be here Saturday matinee and night also, giving an entirely set of plays at the latter two performances. The bill for tonight consists of five one-act plays, "Literature," "The Roadhouse in Arden," "A Miracle of St. Anthony," "Moondown" and "Helena's Husband." At the Saturday matinee and night performances the bill will be five different plays, "Pierre Patelin," "In April," "Eugenically Speaking," "Interior" and "A Bear."

Four Shows Today.

(At the Grand.)

Because of the enormous crowds which have been in attendance ever since "The Mimic World" opened the Grand theater is compelled to run four shows a day in order to prevent disappointing the hundreds of patrons who have been daily turned away. "The Mimic World" is doing a record-breaking business, more people having attended it than any vaudeville or legitimate attraction in many years. In addition to this offering the Grand presents a number of other elaborate Loew attractions. The picture program is headlined by Carlyle Blackwell and an all-star cast in "A Square Deal."

Annette Kellermann.

(At the Lyric.)

Only four more performances—matinees and evening shows today and Saturday—offer opportunity to see the celebrated million dollar William Fox fantasy, "A Daughter of the Gods," which stars Annette Kellermann, at the the Lyric this week. The film is proclaimed by newspaper critics in Atlanta and the big eastern cities as both one of the most thrilling and beautiful ever turned out. It is offered here with the New York Lyric theater orchestra on the same big scale that has made it the sensation in other cities. In spite of reports to the contrary, the picture positively will not be held over for another week. Bookings in other cities make a hold-over engagement out of the question.

Blossom Seeley.

(At the Forsyth Next Week.)

Blossom Seeley (Mrs. Rube Marquard), the magnetic spark of vaudeville, and her company of ragtime musicians, will headline next week's Keith vaudeville show at the Forsyth. Rube Marquard, the famous Brooklyn southpaw, will be in Atlanta with Mrs. Marquard. This week's show is one of many pretentious points and is headlined by the celebrated dance offering of Miss Evan-Burrows Fontaine and her company of beauties. Miss Fontaine and her company offer original interpretations of Hawaiian, East Indian, Egyptian and Greek dances. Additional acts include Walter Brower, one of the most popular of monologuists; Haviland and Thornton in a breezy comedy turn; Billy Schoen and Elizabeth Mayne in songs and dances, and three other splendid features.

Anita Stewart.

(At the Vaudette.)

Anita Stewart is one of the most popular motion picture actresses on the continent, and her picture, "The Glory of Yolanda," is a real film with a powerful punch attached. It is the attraction at the Vaudette theater today and Saturday. The picture depicts the struggle of a Russian girl who becomes a star with the Imperial Russian ballet, and she enjoys riches and the society of grand dukes. But the girl loves a man and when she is compelled to choose between him and her money and her fame, she takes the man, even if it does mean a little trip to Siberia.

"Trilby."

(At the Strand.)

"Trilby," with an abundance of new scenes, new direction and new features, will be the attraction at the Strand theater today and Saturday, announces Manager Alpha Fowler. The star is Clara Kimball Young. Since Paul M. Potter first made a play out of the great classic it has been popular with American audiences, and it was at the request of many people that Manager Fowler has brought the production back to the Strand.

William S. Hart.

(At the Odeon.)

"The Gun Fighter," with William S. Hart as its star, will be seen at the Odeon theater today and Saturday. This is the latest Triangle play featuring the celebrated delineator of western roles. In its production Hart is seen as the head of a gang of outlaws, whose proudest boast is of the number of tenants in his private graveyard, until he meets a young girl who tells him to his face that he is a cold-blooded murderer and not fit to associate with civilized people. A terrific conflict follows in the soul of the bad man with good finally triumphant. Hart's leading woman in "The Gun Fighter" is Margery Wilson, who has been seen in a number of noteworthy roles for Triangle.

Today at the Movies.

LYRIC—Annette Kellermann in "A Daughter of the Gods."
ODEON—W. S. Hart in "The Gun Fighter."
SAVOY—Marguerite Clark in "The Crucible."
STRAND—Clara Kimball Young in "Trilby."
VICTORIA—Babie Marie Osborne in "Shadows and Sunshine."
ALAMO TWO—Theodore Roberts in "The American Consul," also fifth chapter of "The Great Secret," with Francis Bushman.
VAUDETTE—Anita Stewart in "The Glory of Yolanda."
ALPHA—Violet Mersereau in "The Honor of Mary Blake."

YOU and everyone will enjoy five one-act comedies and dramas by Washington Square Players at the Atlanta tonight. They are unique and highly interesting.

DOMINICAN BAD MAN HUNTED BY U. S. MARINES

San Pedro de Macoris, Santo Domingo, February 7.—(Staff Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—United States marines are still scouring the country about the large sugar estates in this section of the island for the bandit, Vincentito Evangelista, described as the worst "bad man" still at large in the republic.

Evangelista is credited with having murdered at least 30 men and as long as he is known to be at large there is considerable uneasiness felt, particularly by American sugar planters, most of whom live in remote, isolated districts.

In their search for bandits, marines have covered more than 2,500 miles, and have recovered fully 5,000 rifles and revolvers from Dominicans. The search for arms is expected to be continued until every weapon in the republic has been turned over to the military authorities.

MICHIGAN DEMOCRATS PLAN TO CARRY STATE

Grand Rapids, Mich., February 15.—State democrats in convention here today heard their leaders plan to carry Michigan at the next general election.

Woodbridge N. Ferris, former democratic governor of Michigan, declared he believed Michigan can be "made to go democratic next year and I am going to do my share." His remarks were interpreted to mean that he may run for the United States senatorship.

The record of the Wilson administration received enthusiastic indorsement.

ATLANTA STRIDES FROM DAY TO DAY

The sixth annual convention of the National Association of Builders' Exchanges came to a close yesterday, after passage of resolutions indorsing President Wilson's action in regard to Germany, and offering the president the support of the national association in any crisis.

E. M. Tate, of Pittsburg, Pa., was named secretary, and Pittsburg was selected as the convention city of 1918, defeated Cincinnati, which withdrew from the race before the voting was over, and moved to make the choice of Pittsburg unanimous.

$25,000 Cash Sale.

The sale for the Griswold Land company of property known as the Mrs. Kittie V. Anderson place, on Wesley avenue, consisting of 9½ acres and a 14-room house, went to record Thursday.

The attractive Anderson home was sold by A. J. & H. F. West to Dr. and Mrs. Roy Harris, the sale being announced exclusively in The Constitution several weeks ago.

Poplar Street Lot Sold.

The northwest corner of Poplar and Fairlie streets has been sold by W. R. Brown, of Fort Valley, Ga., to a client, the consideration being withheld.

The property front 51 feet on Poplar and has a depth of 100 feet on Fairlie. It is improved with a dwelling. The new purchaser will build a business building on it.

It is understood the M. C. Kiser agency handled the transaction.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

Warranty Deeds.

$600—L. P. Bottenfield to Mrs. Jane Adkins, lot south side Eureka drive, 201 feet southeast from Hurst drive, 51x158 feet. October 12, 1914.

$12,000—W. A. Hancock to Investment Company of the South, lot southeast side Walker between Haynes and Fair streets, 75x200 feet. June 27, 1913.

Love and affection for wife—Frank D. Allen to Mrs. Nannie T. Allen, No. 7 Irene street, 47x97 feet. February 10, 1917.

$10—Mary P. Whaley et al. to M. S. Moser, lot west side Fraser street, 50 feet south of Vanira, 50x200 feet. January, 1917.

$10—Same to Laura O. Moser, lot southwest corner Fraser and Vanira, 50x200 feet. January, 1917.

$350—W. A. Hope to Sam A. Cook, lot southeast corner Gordon street and West End place, 50x200 feet. July 20, 1914.

$1,400—Mrs. Z. Scales to E. V. Carter et al., lot east side Williams street, 725 feet north from West Tenth street, 50x174 feet. February 12, 1917.

$925—Charles Clemmons to Lelah Clemens, an undivided one-half interest in lot north side Thayer avenue, 50 feet west of Crogman street, 50x150 feet. February 14, 1917.

$500—Jasper N. Smith to Mrs. Mary A. Baker, lot north side Pharr road at southeast corner George Schoen lot, 50x179 feet. February 14, 1917.

$75—Harry Brown to John D. Childress, lot 21, volumn 10, section A, Greenwood cemetery. January 12, 1917.

Quit-Claim Deeds.

$1—W. S. and G. A. Wight to Sam W. Cook, lot southeast corner Gordon street and West End place, 50x200 feet. January 24, 1917.

$1 and other valuable consideration—N. C. McPherson to Mrs. Jane Adkins, lot south side Eureka drive, 201 feet from Hurst drive, 51x158 feet. October 12, 1914.

$1—Paul Goldsmith to Fred Wagner, lot east side Prospect place, 404 feet north of Highland avenue, 45x170 feet. February 12, 1917.

Loan Deeds.

$1,000—J. H. Millhouse to Miss S. M. Puryear, 10 acres of land in land lot 260, seventeenth district. 8 per cent.

$2,000—Mrs. Emma J. Englett to Mrs. Julia Liebermuth, 36 Prospect place, 45x170. Five years, 7 per cent. January 29, 1917.

$1,500—I. Stomakin to Louis Regenstein, 598 Capitol avenue, 50x250. Five years, 6½ per cent. February 8, 1917.

$1,500—J. H. Harris to P. R. G. Clark, 270 and 273 West Fourteenth street, 90x150. Five years, 8 per cent. February 13, 1917.

$1,500—Ambrose G. Maser to Mrs. John C. Holmes, lot south side Vanira, 50 feet west from Fraser, 50x190. Five years, 7 per cent. February 14, 1917.

$400—Fred Wagner to Miss Pauline Schoenthal, lot east side Jackson, 133 feet from alley, 50x133. Three years at 8 per cent. February 13, 1917.

Building Permits.

$3,600—P. R. Byrd, 26-28 Josephine street, two frame dwellings. Day labor.

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PERSONAL

ANNOUNCEMENT.

TO those concerned and my many friends of Atlanta, I take this method of informing you that I have this date sold my entire interest of the Ponce de Leon Dance Studio to Messrs. T. P. & P. W. Westbrook. I am going to resume my old road line, and my territory will be in the middle west. You are requested to patronize the studio. With best wishes, I remain. Respectfully yours, Mr. D'Holmosy.

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CASH FOR False Teeth and Old Gold. McDuffie, 148 Peachtree.

HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED—Male

WANTED—Accountant, senior; old, reliable, certified public accountant firm; state whether married or single, experience with other accounting firms, age, reference and salary. Address P. O. Box 571, Memphis, Tenn.

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ATLANTA gov't clerk exams, Mar. 29; $75 to $120 month; sample questions free. Write Franklin Inst., Dept. 57C, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—Men for railroad and other positions. (No school.) Southern Information System, Vineland, N. C.

WANTED—Young man news agent for railroad trains. Good run. Crescent News Co.

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HELP WANTED—Female

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GERMAN or Swedish girl for general house work in small family; references required. Call Ivy 6270.

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WANTED—Young men and women to prepare for better position in the business world. For particulars call, write or phone Bagwell Business College, 34½ Luckie st. Ivy 4078.

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WANTED—Stenographer and typist with references. Apply 704 Silvey bldg.

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MAN for high school, Latin, $100 per month, prompt action. Acme Teachers' Agency, 2232 Healey bldg.

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SALESMEN AND SOLICITORS

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WANTED—In retail phonograph store, only high-class man considered; must be a good dresser and a gentleman. Apply before noon any day, 182 Peachtree.

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SITUATION WANTED

SITUATION WANTED—Male

YOUNG MAN—Experienced bookkeeper, cashier, typist, shipping, billing, etc. Satisfactory references, including present employer. P. O. Box 180. Bell telephone West 382.

LISTEN!—A young man of high moral character and ability as salesman and clerical manager, with good references, wants position at once. Address Secretary-Treasurer, 247 Courtland street.

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Use Constitution Want Ads.

RAILROAD SCHEDULES

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Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic.

Effective June 25.	Arrive.	Leave.
Brunswick, Waycross and Thomasville	6:00 am	7:45 am
Brunswick, Waycross and Thomasville	4:25 pm	11:00 pm

Sleeping cars on night trains between Atlanta and Thomasville via Fitzgerald and Atlanta and Hampton Springs, Fla., via Moultrie.

Atlanta and West Point Railroad Company

No.	Arrive From—	No.	Depart To—
42	West Pt..	8:15 am	35 New Or...	6:25 am
18	Columbus	10:55 am	15 Columbus.	7:10 am
38	New Or..	11:50 am	33 Montgo'y.	8:40 am
40	New Or..	3:15 pm	39 New Or...	3:00 pm
34	Montgo'y.	6:50 pm	17 Columbus.	4:05 pm
20	Columbus.	7:45 pm	37 New Or...	5:20 pm
26	New Or..	11:35 pm	11 West Pt..	5:45 pm

City Ticket Office, 80 Peachtree St.

Central of Georgia Railway.
"The Right Way."

Arrive From—		Depart To—	
Savannah...	6:25 am	Savannah...	8:00 am
Thomasville.	6:25 am	Albany.....	8:00 am
Albany.....	6:25 am	Jacksonville.	8:45 am
Macon.....	6:35 am	Macon.....	12:30 pm
Jacksonville.	6:53 am	Macon.....	4:00 pm
Jacksonville.	7:40 am	Jacksonville.	8:25 pm
Macon.....	10:45 am	Valdosta....	8:25 pm
Savannah...	4:20 pm	Savannah...	9:20 pm
Macon.....	7:00 pm	Jacksonville	10:05 pm
Jacksonville.	7:30 pm	Thomasville	11:59 pm
Albany.....	7:55 pm	Albany.....	11:59 pm

City Ticket Office, Fourth National Bank building, Peachtree and Marietta streets. Telephones—Main 490, Atlanta phone 55.

Southern Railway System.

No.	Arrive From—	No.	Depart To—
3	Jackso'e.	12:50 am	36 N. Y.	12:01 am
23	Jackso'e.	5:55 am	3 Cincin'i...	1:00 am
48	Washin'n.	5:55 am	1 Chicago...	6:20 am
36	New York.	6:05 am	23 Kan. City.	6:25 am
1	Jackson'e.	6:10 am	12 Richmond.	6:55 am
12	Shrevep't.	6:30 am	7 Chatta'a.	7:10 am
17	Toccoa....	8:10 am	20 Columb's.	7:15 am
26	Heflin....	8:20 am	32 Ft. Val'y.	7:20 am
8	Chatta'a.	10:35 am	18 Brunsw'k.	8:00 am
9	Macon....	10:30 am	6 Jackson'e	11:30 am
27	Ft. Val'y.	11:50 am	38 N. Y.	12:05 pm
21	Columb's.	10:55 am	40 Charl'te.	12:15 pm
40	Memphis.	11:15 am	29 Birm'm..	12:25 pm
6	Cincin'i..	11:20 am	30 N. Y.	2:25 pm
29	N. Y.	12:10 pm	15 Chattan'a.	3:00 pm
39	Birmin'm.	2:10 pm	18 Toccoa....	4:45 pm
39	Charlotte.	4:20 pm	5 Cincin'i...	4:50 pm
5	Jackson'e.	4:40 pm	22 Columb's.	5:10 pm
37	N. Y.	5:00 pm	39 Memphis.	5:15 pm
11	Richmond	5:00 pm	28 Ft. Val'y..	5:20 pm
31	Ft. Val'y.	5:05 pm	10 Macon....	5:30 pm
17	Brunsw'k.	5:10 pm	26 Heflin....	5:45 pm
19	Columbus.	5:35 pm	2 Jackson's.	9:55 pm
16	Chatta'a.	9:15 pm	24 Jackson's	10:05 pm
2	Chicago...	9:45 pm	42 Charl'te.	11:01 pm
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11	Washin'n.	6:20 am	6 N. Y.	2:35 pm
11	Portsm'h.	6:20 am	6 Washin'n.	2:35 pm
17	Abbe,S.C.	8:50 am	6 Norfolk...	2:35 pm
6	Memphis.	2:25 pm	6 Portsm'h.	2:35 pm
6	Birmin'm.	2:25 pm	6 Richmond	2:35 pm
22	Pied't,Ala.	10:00 am	23 Pied't,Ala.	3:55 pm
5	N. Y.	5:00 pm	5 Birmin'm.	5:10 pm
5	Washin'n.	5:00 pm	5 Memphis..	5:10 pm
5	Norfolk...	5:00 pm	18 Abbe,S.C.	4:00 pm
5	Portsm'h.	5:00 pm	12 N. Y.	8:30 pm
12	Birmin'm.	8:20 pm	12 Norfolk...	8:30 pm
29	Monroe...	3:00 pm	12 Portsm'h.	8:30 pm

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3	Wilmin'n	6:10 am	6 Augusta	12:10 pm
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†13	Buckh'd.	9:35 am	12 Buckh'd.	6:10 pm
1	Augusta.	1:15 pm	†14 Buckh'd.	5:00 pm
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93	Memphis.	11:55 am	92 Memphis..	4:55 pm
1	Nashville.	6:35 pm	72 Rome.....	5:15 pm
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SENATE REOPENS MAIL RATE MATTER

Reconsideration Follows Vote to Increase Second Class Rates and Reduce Drop Letter Rates.

Washington, February 15.—The whole subject of increased second-class mail and one-cent drop letter postage in cities and towns and on rural routes was reopened today in the senate. Amendments containing these provisions had been ruled out of the post-office appropriation bill in committee of the whole several days ago on a point of order.

Final action on these amendments and on a section added today to bar publications with liquor advertising from prohibition territory and to prohibit importation of liquor into such territory, will pave the way for passage of the appropriation bill, which has been under debate about a week.

When the bill passed from the committee of the whole to the senate late today, with many senators absent from the chamber, Senator Smoot re-offered the amendment to reduce postage on drop letters to one cent an ounce. As this would greatly decrease the postal revenues Senator Bryan, acting for the postoffice committee, asked the Utah senator to couple with it the amendment to advance the rate on newspapers and magazines to a cent and a half a pound for next year and two cents a pound the following year. This was done, and Senator Robinson, the presiding officer, submitted the amendment, which was agreed to without roll call, escaping attention of many senators who had opposed the proposition.

News of the development brought members from cloak and committee rooms in a storm of disapproval. Charges of snap action and unfair tactics were made until Senator Smoot agreed to move for a reconsideration of the vote. Then followed a plea by Senator Bryan to vote the reconsideration motion down unless agreement could be reached that no point of order against the amendments be made, so that the proposals might be considered on their merits. Several attempts to get unanimous consent for such a course failed and the motion to reconsider finally prevailed by a vote of 39 to 26.

When reconsideration had been ordered Senator Smoot renewed his amendment for one cent drop letter postage. Senator Bryan declared that the committee could not favor this unless assurance could be given that the second-class rates would be increased in order to prevent a postal revenue deficit. Senator Hoke Smith proposed that the second-class rates be fixed at 1 cent a pound for the first hundred miles, a cent and a half for the next 200 miles and a half-cent additional for each hundred mile haul thereafter.

In the midst of discussion the senate recessed until tomorrow morning when all the disputed propositions probably will be submitted in some form on their merits. Senator Smith, of South Carolina, reserved the right to submit an amendment to subject only magazines to increased rates, excepting daily newspapers.

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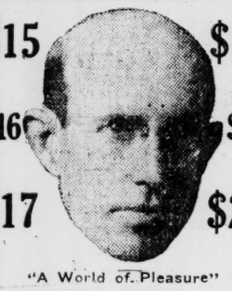


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Big Account of Unnamed Speculator Features "Leak" Hearing—Committee Adjourns.

New York, February 15.—Leaving further examination of brokers' statements as to their dealings for customers on the stock exchange during December to a sub-committee of three, the congressional leak committee today adjourned its public hearings and most of the members returned to Washington tonight. This action came after a statement by the committee's counsel, Sherman L. Whipple, that he did not consider it profitable for the full committee to spend more time taking testimony, in view of other more urgent duties of the members at the capital.

The sub-committee, consisting of Representatives Campbell of Kansas, Bennet of New York and Foster of Illinois, will stay here until Monday examining brokers' statements, planning to continue their work in Washington after that.

Wall street gossip was busy after the close of today's hearing trying to deduce the identity of an unnamed speculator whose account was between $7,000,000 and $8,000,000 when the big break came in the market after the president's peace note became public. Oliver Harriman, a broker, testified that he carried such a big "short" account on his books, his operations dating from November, but he declined to divulge the customer's name.

In connection with that account, however, there was put in evidence a telegram dated New York, December 20, and sent over Mr. Harriman's private wires to his Washington office, asking: "Have you heard anything about the government to issue this afternoon a statement regarding the economic condition of Europe?" This was signed "J. L. L." The answer was "No."

The fact that the initials correspond to those of Jesse L. Livermore, a well known speculator, known to make his headquarters at Mr. Harriman's offices, was called to the attention of members of the committee at the close of the hearing, but it was explained by counsel the question of the speculator's identity was not pertinent.

Through Mr. Harriman there also was brought into the record for the first time evidence of a public official at Washington dealing in the stock market. Mr. Harriman said that on December 21 he bought for a congressman fifty shares of United States Steel on the long side. He declined to give this customer's name also, and Mr. Whipple remarked that he did not believe the incident was of any interest to the committee.

Bolling Quits Firm.

Washington, February 15.—R. W. Bolling, a brother-in-law of President Wilson, announced today he had severed his connection with F. A. Connolly & Co., a local brokerage house which the peace note leak investigation established, furnished a forecast of the note to clients a day in advance of its publication. Bolling denied any knowledge whatever of the affair and J. Fred Essary, a newspaper correspondent, testified that it was he who wrote the forecast.

PRINT PAPER PROBE BEFORE GRAND JURY

New York, February 15.—The inquiry ordered by the department of justice to ascertain whether there is a combination or conspiracy among manufacturers of news print paper to limit production and increase prices in violation of the criminal sections of the Sherman anti-trust law began before a special federal grand jury here today.

It is expected to last about six weeks. In addition to the testimony of witnesses it is understood that letters and other documentary evidence will be laid before the grand jury. This evidence was gathered by the federal trade commission and agents of the department of justice.

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SANTIAGO TAKEN BY CUBAN REBELS

Revolt Does Not Show Marked Growth, However, and Is Viewed at Washington With Less Apprehension.

Washington, February 15.—Failure to receive from Cuba today reports showing marked growth in the liberal rebellion caused administration officials to regard the situation there with less apprehension. Minister Gonzales' reports confirmed press dispatches telling of the dispersal of various rebel bands. They also told, however, of the occupation of Santiago by General Fernandez, commanding more than a regiment of regular troops who joined him in revolt.

Satisfaction was displayed at the state department over information that so far the rebels have destroyed no property. Representatives of business interests in the island have exhibited anxiety, epecially the possibility that the liberal leaders might cause the destruction of the cane fields.

Both factions have expressed to the department their approval of the note of warning sent by Secretary Lansing. The liberal leaders have protested that they are not contemplating any reign of terror and President Menocal in a formal communication sent by his secretary of foreign affairs thanked the American government for the confidence it has shown in the Cuban people. He assured the government that with the moral support of the United States he felt certain he would be able to dominate the situation.

Government Optimistic.

Havana, February 15.—In spite of the plot among certain members of the Havana police against the government, there was a more optimistic tone in government circles tonight, due to the loyalty of the navy, of which several vessels made their escape from Santiago, and also the belief that Santiago will soon be recovered from the revolutionists by the government. It is claimed by high officials that the movement begun there by Rigoberto Fernandez is not a popular one.

Lieutenant Wilfred Diaz, aide to Fernandez, escaped on the Cuban school ship Patria, which arrived here this morning from Santiago. Diaz will proceed tonight with men, arms and supplies for an unannounced destination.

Rebels Hold Province.

New York, February 15.—All officials have been deposed and virtually the whole of the province of Santiago de Cuba is in possession of the insurrectionists, according to cable messages which Dr. Orestes Ferrara, speaker of the Cuban house of representatives, and Dr. Raimundo Cabera, now in this country as special representatives of the directorate of the liberal party of Cuba, announced they had received tonight. The messages, they said, were signed by Luis Mola, military governor of Santiago, and R. Fernandes, commander of the district.

ALLOWS U. S. TO KEEP UP BELGIAN RELIEF WORK

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er would have been recognized by the allied governments. If a handful of Americans had continued on in restricted supervision unable to leave Brussels there had been official intimations from the British that supplies would no longer be passed through the blockade. The question, therefore, was placed directly before Germany by the complete withdrawal as to whether she would or would not evict American relief from Belgium and northern France.

The greatest problem now before the commission, except, of course, the possibility of actual war between the United States and Germany, is the transportation of supplies. The combined effect of the German submarine zone and the British mine fields have made all routes to Belgium dangerous. Practically no neutral shipping is traveling on the routes and all the Belgian relief ships are themselves tied up. While there are still six weeks' supplies available, the future is very uncertain.

Mr. Hoover came here today to confer with officials of the state department and to give the council of national defense the benefit of his advice in connection with the task of mobilizing American resources in preparation for war.

WHITLOCK ASKED TO LOWER FLAG.

Washington, February 15.—State department advices today reported officially that Brand Whitlock, American minister to Belgium, had been requested, but not ordered, by the German military authorities to lower the American flag from the legation in Brussels.

The department's advices made no mention of American relief workers being held prisoners. The flag incident seemed to be regarded by officials as more sentimental than serious, although it did arouse some feeling. State department officials hold that the German military authorities were within their rights. The American minister is accredited to the Belgian government, the seat of which is at Havre, but Mr. Whitlock remained at Brussels by permission of the German government, to take part in the relief work.

Many Children Now Taking Advantage Of Dentists' Offer

The publication in The Constitution yesterday of a story about the work now being done by the members of the Atlanta Society of Dental Surgeons for the poor school children of Atlanta, and of the need of co-operation on the part of the parents, brought many inquiries to the office of the medical department of the schools, 502 Chamber of Commerce building.

Through error the wrong hours were given at which the medical department is open on week days. The office is open to the public on school days between 3 and 5 in the afternoon and on Saturday from 10 to 12 o'clock in the morning.

Parents are urged to report to this department all cases of children needing attention by dentists and to ask the co-operation of the nurses.

Judge Harrison Resigns.

Richmond, Va., February 15.—Judge George M. Harrison, age 70, president of the Virginia supreme court of appeals, today resigned, desiring to retire.

NEUTRAL SHIPPING EXPECTED TO SAIL

Believed British Admiralty Has Agreed to Substitute Halifax for Kirkwall as Port of Call.

Ottawa, February 15.—Official announcement was made here tonight that Halifax is to be made an examining port for neutral vessels crossing the Atlantic eastbound. Whether ships coming west also will have to call at Halifax has not been determined.

New York, February 15.—Steamships flying the flags of neutral countries, which have been detained here since the new German submarine policy was announced, probably will resume their regular sailings if plans to substitute Halifax for Kirkwall as a port of call for examination can be arranged with the British authorities. It became known tonight that negotiations to this end are virtually complete.

That the British regard the change with favor was indicated by the announcement tonight that the Holland-America line steamship Ryndam would sail tomorrow for Rotterdam via Halifax and that passengers were being booked for the possible sailing early next week of the steamship Noordam, via the same route. The Ryndam returned here yesterday after having proceeded to within a short distance of the new German submarine zone, and then turned back.

Ships Sail Today.

The Swedish-American line agents also announced that the passenger ship Stockholm, now more than a week overdue in sailing, would depart tomorrow for Gothenburg, via Halifax, as will the freight steamer Carlsholm. Other lines of Scandinavian countries were said to have filed cable messages today to their home offices asking for orders.

Arrangements have been so far perfected, it was said, that Halifax pilots who work under British admiralty orders have been ordered to this port to board the Stockholm and the Carlsholm. It also was learned that a Halifax pilot arrived here yesterday and went aboard the Frederik VIII., the admiralty orders requiring all ships other than those of the entente allies to enter Halifax at night only.

The passengers who were originally booked on the Ryndam will not be aboard when the ship sails tomorrow, it was officially announced. The Ryndam will go strictly as a freighter, carrying 8,000 tons of grain consigned to and owned by The Netherlands government. The passengers now being booked for the Noordam, have been told they will be given 24 hours' notice of sailing.

No Word From Admiralty.

At the British consulate here it was said late today no word of arrangements whereby neutral ships could call at Halifax instead of Kirkwall had been received, but it was added that the negotiations would be handled direct between neutral governments interested and Great Britain. Announcement of sailings was held to be sufficient indication that the British admiralty had raised no objections to the plan. From Halifax the vessels for Holland, Norway, Sweden and Denmark can take a direct course that will carry them far to the north of the British Isles and clear of the war zone indicated in the recent German declaration.

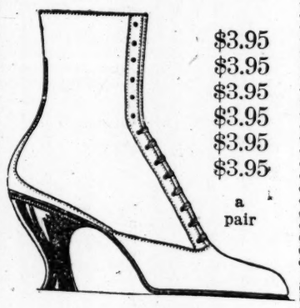
Word that the ships would sail and intimation that others would follow within a short time was received with satisfaction by steamship agents handling cargoes for neutral countries of Europe. Not only will it relieve congestion of shipping in American ports, but it was explained that the merchandise for these countries, consisting largely of grain and foodstuffs, is greatly needed.

It also was said that under similar arrangements cargoes of foodstuffs intended for the Belgian relief commission may go through without further delay. If the arrangements are perfected more than a dozen ships now in New York, Baltimore and Newport News, which have been tied up one to two weeks, will be able to depart.

At the office of the American line it was said that no answer had as yet been received from the navy department to the request for guns with which to arm the St. Louis, St. Paul, Kroonland and New York, now detained at their piers here.

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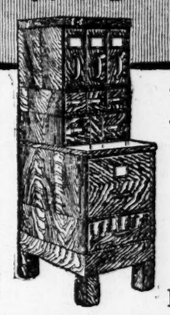
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LODGE NOTICES

A regular communication of E. A. Minor Lodge, No. 603, F. & A. M., will be held in their temple, corner Flat Shoals avenue and Glenwood avenue, this (Friday) evening, February 16, 1917, at 7:30 o'clock. The Fellowcraft degree will be conferred by Brother W. R. Johnson, senior warden. All candidates for advancement must be on hand sharp. "A hearty welcome accorded visiting brothers." By order of
J. E. MATTHEWS, W. M.
C. S. BURKS, Secretary.

A regular communication of W. D. Luckie Lodge, No. 89, Free and Accepted Masons, will be held in its temple (West End) at 7:30 o'clock on this (Friday) evening. The Entered Apprentice degree will be conferred and all candidates for same are requested to present themselves promptly. A cordial invitation is extended to all duly qualified brethren to attend. By order of
W. W. HENRY, W. M.
W. S. RICHARDSON, Secretary.

The regular communication of Palestine Lodge, No. 486, F. & A. M., will be held in Masonic Temple this (Friday) evening, February 16, 1917, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. The degree of Master Mason will be conferred. All resident and sojourning brethren who are duly qualified are cordially invited to meet with us. By order of
D. E. SHUMAKER, W. M.
W. D. PHIPPS, Secretary.

Georgia Lodge, No. 153, will hold its regular convocation this (Friday) evening, promptly at 8:00 o'clock, in the Castle Hall. Rank of Esquire will be conferred on several candidates. All qualified Knights welcome.
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FUNERAL NOTICES

NELSON—The friends and relatives of Rt. Rev. C. K. Nelson, D. D., of the Diocese of Atlanta, are invited to attend the funeral services at St. Philip's Cathedral this (Friday) morning at 11 o'clock. The pallbearers will be the clergy of the Diocese of Atlanta and will please meet at the cathedral at 9:45 o'clock. The honorary pallbearers will be the standing committee and officers of the Diocese and the chapter of St. Philip's Cathedral and will please meet at the cathedral at 10:45 o'clock. The church club of the Diocese of Atlanta and the board of missions are asked to attend in a body and meet at the same place and time. Please omit flowers. Limousines will leave the office of H. M. Patterson & Son at 9:30 o'clock.

VOYLES—The friends and relatives of Mr. John Voyles, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Voyles and Mrs. Edward Miller are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. John Voyles, Friday, February 16, 1917, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., from the residence, 319 Pulliam street. Rev. W. H. Cooper will officiate. Interment will be in Oakland cemetery. The following named gentlemen will please act as pallbearers and meet at the chapel of H. M. Patterson & Son at 2 p. m.: Mr. W. C. Todd, Mr. C. D. Knight, Mr. W. T. Rice, Mr. W. L. Burke, Mr. William Close and Mr. A. N. Thom.

BURCH—The friends and relatives of Mr. Charles V. Burch, Mr. and Mrs. Orris Donehoo, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Burch of Dublin, Ga.; Mr. J. J. Burch of New York, Messrs. Fred and Abbott Burch and Miss Violet Burch, are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. Charles V. Burch today at 2:30 p. m. from the residence of Mr. Orris Donehoo, No. 356 Ormond avenue. The following gentlemen will please act as pallbearers and meet at the chapel of A. O. & Roy Donehoo at 2 p. m.: Mr. C. B. Babb, Mr. J. D. Patterson, Mr. C. R. Donehoo, Mr. B. F. Byfield and Mr. F. S Spencer.

GOSSETT—Died at a private sanitarium Thursday evening at 1 o'clock, Mr. John Gossett, age 35 years, he is survived by his wife, his father, Mr. N. W. Gossett; four brothers and two sisters. The body is at the chapel of A. O. & Roy Donehoo, pending the funeral arrangements.

KIKER—The friends and relatives of Mr. C. R. Kiker, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Kiker and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Kiker, Jr., and family, are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. C. R. Kiker, Sr., today at 3:30 p. m. from the chapel of A. O. & Roy Donehoo, Rev. L. W. Collins will officiate. Interment, Hollywood.

TATUM.—The remains of Mr. William Tatum are at the chapel of A. O. & Roy Donehoo and will be taken tomorrow at 6:55 a. m., via the Southern railway, to Gainesville, Ga., for interment.

SPECIAL NOTICE.
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George Peek (colored) was born in Green Co. in August, 1830; died February 12, 1917; lived in Oglethorpe Co. for forty-two years. Rented the plantation of Mr. and Mrs. John Jewell, at Crawford, Ga., Oglethorpe Co. He was a carpenter, working at that trade for over forty years. He was well thought of by both white and black. He never used tobacco or strong drink. He always lived within the law; never was arrested for any offense during the eighty-seven years of his life.

He was a member of the church for sixty (60) years; was baptized by the Rev. John Young, a white minister, at Shiloh Baptist church, Green county. He was married fifty-two (52) years, and the father of fifteen (15) children, eight living and seven dead, and nineteen (19) grandchildren and four (4) great-grandchildren.

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